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ARMY FINANCE ACTIVITIES

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THE Finance Department of the United States Army is charged with disbursing all funds appropriated for the pay of Army personnel, subsistence, clothing, and all supplies and equipment and material procured by the various Supply Arms and Services of the War Department. During the fiscal year 1941, the number of transactions handled by the Finance Department has increased by leaps and bounds and it is anticipated that during the fiscal year 1942, transactions handled will have increased over those of 1940 more than sevenfold.

When the United States entered World War I, the War Department had as many accounting and disbursing agencies as there were supply branches. Each branch had its own disbursing activity separate and distinct from any other branch, with methods and practices so varied that it was difficult, if not impossible, to compile accurate accounting data.

Many of the separate Finance Organizations were unable to liquidate their obligations promptly. Millions of dollars in payable bills remained unpaid for long periods. The systems employed by the various bureaus did not lend themselves to expansion to meet war conditions. The current emergency has proven the wisdom of establishing the Finance Department as an independent Service which is charged with making payments for military obligations incurred by all procurement agencies of the War Department. Never before, during a national emergency, have accounts been liquidated so promptly.

Dual Problem

The general problem imposed upon the Finance Department by the expansion program was how, with its small but highly trained permanent force, to meet whatever fiscal work that might arise, and at the same time provide for the procurement and training of augmented personnel. The Department, as well as its Procurement and Supply Branches, had for many years been geared to handle the work incident to annual appropriations approximating \$300,000,000 and a total enlisted strength of approximately 118,750 enlisted men. The emergency was met by placing all of approximately 669 enlisted men who were in the Finance Department on January 1, 1940, in key positions and by augmenting this force to a total strength of approximately 2,433. The facilities of the Army Finance School were taxed to the limit to qualify as many new men as possible for important key positions. All men who could not be sent to the Finance School were enrolled in home study courses. As a result of this procedure, additional trained finance enlisted personnel is becoming available in ever-increasing numbers.

While the finance sections of military posts were being reorganized to pay promptly the personnel of immense garrisons as well as the local obligations in connection with procurements, a problem

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Albert F. Bogue (right) chief clerk of the Navy Hydrographic Office and president of the Navy Department Beneficial Association, passes to Rear Adm. Charles Conard, (SC), USN-Ret., check for \$10,000 for a Treasury Defense Bond, purchase of which was authorized by the board of directors of the Association. Commander Gerald A. Eubank, (SC), USNR, assistant to Admiral Conard, looks on. Admiral Conard is directing the sale of defense savings bonds in the entire Naval establishment. It is his prediction that Navy personnel will purchase at least \$40,000,000 of the bonds during the next twelve months.

Navy Temporary Promotions

Although the special board appointed by Secretary Knox to recommend rules and regulations for the administration of the Navy's new temporary rank act has virtually completed its work, it is expected that considerable time will elapse before its provisions actually are put into effect.

The report of the board will be sent around to the various agencies concerned for comment or concurrence. It will be studied by the Bureau of Navigation and then by the Secretary. The final result, when it meets with the Secretary's approval, will be forwarded to the White House for further study before the President exercises his authority under Section 5 of the Act, which states: "The temporary appointments under the authority of this Act shall be in such number as the President may determine that the needs of the service require and in such manner and under such regulations as he may prescribe."

Recalling the attitude of the Department as expressed by witnesses before the Congressional committees, there is every likelihood that the application of the act will begin in a mild, modified manner. No wholesale promotions may be anticipated. As a matter of fact, it appears likely that it will be put into effect quite gradually, perhaps at first with the advancement of some petty officers to warrant grade and commissioned grades and some warrants to commissioned grades. Later, as the needs of the Navy expands more use will be made of the authority given in the act, but it must be remembered that the Department originally sought only authority to give reserve commissions to enlisted and warrant personnel so that their services might be better utilized in time of an emergency and that it was largely through the insistence of the committee that the greater authority was given.

Unit Personnel Officer

Pending the revision of Tables of Organization, the assignment of one officer to each regiment and separate battalion, as unit personnel officer, has been authorized by the War Department.

Blanket Pay Increases

Passage of S. J. Res. 95, retaining personnel of the Army on active service, will mean a pay increase for every enlisted man in the Army of the United States, and possibly for men of the various components of the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard as well.

As far as men of the Army are concerned, section 8 of the act awaiting the President's signature states that, during the period of the unlimited emergency declared by the President on 27 May, "Any person inducted into the land or naval forces of the United States (selectee) . . . shall . . . be entitled to receive the sum of \$10 for each month of such training and service in excess of 12."

The provision also applies (1) "to any enlisted personnel of the National Guard of the United States or of any other reserve component of the Army of the United States . . . for any such service so rendered by any such personnel in excess of 12 months, and (2) to any enlisted personnel of the Regular Army for each month of military service rendered by him after the date of enactment of this joint resolution, and after his total military service (rendered before or after such date) exceeds 12 months."

Cost of the increase for the Army is estimated at \$15,000,000 a month.

Other services are also likely to come in under the act. The comptroller general upon passage of the act will be asked to rule upon its effect on the Navy and Marine Corps. Should the Navy be held entitled, the Coast Guard, under long-standing laws, also will benefit. The Navy will base its claim on the equalization of pay clause in the selective service act, and the Marine Corps will use this and a statute which provides that pay and allowances of Marines shall be those of personnel in the infantry of the Army.

The equalization clause in the draft act was recently held to entitle the other services to the dependents' quarters allowance given to the Army by the last Congress.

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"Plucking" of Officers
of Army is Underway

Compilation of lists of Regular Army officers to be recommended for removal from the active list is proceeding in the offices of the chiefs of arms and services.

Meanwhile a list of general officers, active and retired, has been compiled for the consideration of War Department authorities in the appointment of the Board of General Officers whose action, under the law, is a prerequisite to the relief of such officers from active duty.

However, the delay in the appointment of this board is not hindering the procedure in any way, for each officer whose name is to be submitted to the board must be notified and given an opportunity either to apply for voluntary retirement or to protest to the Board of Generals.

While this procedure is going forward for the Regular officers, it is understood that a considerable number of officers of the National Guard and Reserve have been reclassified under AR 605-230 and that some have been relieved from active duty. A lively stepping up of this program is anticipated after the Summer's maneuvers are over and more complete reports on their professional conduct is available.

The three general officers appointed recently to advise the Secretary of War on National Guard and Reserve matters have been devoting all of their time to considering cases of such officers who have been recommended for relief from active duty and making recommendations to the Secretary. These officers—Maj. Gen. John F. O'Ryan, Brig. Gen. Leith R. Gignilliat, and Maj. Gen. David Prescott Barrows—met a number of times in Washington, clearing up existing cases, and now have returned to their respective homes. For a while the individual cases will be sent to their homes for study and recommendation.

In this connection existing regulations (AR 605-230) were amended this week so as to permit National Guard and Reserve officers recommended for reclassification to resign. This was accomplished by substituting the following for the previous paragraph 14:

"14. Resignations.—a. Any officer of any Reserve component who has been recommended for reclassification, or who has been notified either orally or in writing that he is going to be recommended for reclassification, will be permitted to submit his resignation under the provisions set forth in AR 605-275 for officers of the Regular Army. The letter of resignation and the first indorsement will clearly indicate that such action is voluntary on the part of the officer. The first indorsement will also clearly indicate that the officer has been notified that he will be recommended for reclassification. Where misconduct is involved the nature of the misconduct will be stated.

b. These resignations will be sent direct from the post, camp, or station to the corps area commander. The senior commander of the officer concerned at his station will take this action. This commander upon receipt of such a resignation will assure himself that the officer has adjusted his property and financial responsibility (AR 605-275), and has passed his final physical examination. He will then radio promptly to the corps area commander stating that such resignation is being forwarded, and request relief of the officer, stating the amount of accrued leave.

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Press Speculates on "V-for-Victory" Campaign; Sees Some Effect

AS Britain's V-for-Victory campaign grows in Europe, the nation's press this week turned to comment upon this psychological invasion of German-occupied territory and ponder the results of such a campaign.

The *Times* of Bayonne, N. J., asks "Can a single letter contribute strongly to the defeat of Nazism? There are forces in Britain which believe it can; there are evidences cropping up here and there throughout Europe which suggest that it may. 'V' stands for 'Victory.' It also stands for 'Victoire,' the French equivalent. Somehow the custom sprung up of chalking that single letter on sidewalks and walls, penciling it on posters, even tracing it in the mud on German cars. The thought is to create a universal sign of eventual victory, and flaunt it before German eyes in every conquered country." The *Times* concludes "Fantastic? Surely. But wasn't there a king once, Belshazzar, who was considerably disturbed by writing on a wall?" The *Gazette*, of Kalamazoo, Mich., declares that "So long as their 'V' for 'Victory' campaign continues to be recognized for what it is—a morale builder—it can do no harm to the cause of Britain and it may do a certain amount of good. It gives the people of German-conquered countries a convenient and interesting symbol whereby they may express their hope for a victory which will free them again, and it may help to keep alive that spirit of unity which will be extremely useful to these people if they ever get a chance to rise up against their oppressors."

Of the V-for-Victory campaign, *The Gazette*, of Colorado Springs, Colo., says, "The important aspect is that the Nazis were moved to fight fire with fire and their quick resort to a similar offensive indicates their cognizance of the dangers of letting a potentially unity-for-revolution movement gain a foothold in the countries which they 'liberated.' If it has served no other purpose, the British plan has shown, through the prompt German response, that the masters of Europe have been unable to remove gnawing discontent among subject peoples. The field is still fertile." The *News*, of Greensboro, N. C., says "It is too early to venture an opinion whether much will come of this style of campaigning. But it is one of the most interesting developments of an age which hasn't been too particular about the niceties and humanities

of conflict. Moreover we were just wondering if the writ of old prophesying a day to come when the sword would be beaten into the plowshare could have really meant a plano or a paint brush." The *News-Tribune* of Duluth, Minn., points out that "German has responded with a lame announcement that V can stand for Nazi victory, too. This will fool no one, and is a confession that the Germans cannot cope with this problem. It will surely make it more difficult for the Germans to catch and deal with those whose V's are non-German in their meaning. These letters will not win the war by themselves, but they are dagger-pointed symbols aimed at the heart of a system whose very life-blood is symbolism of most theatrical kind."

The *Independent*, of Helena, Mont., says, "Hitler's morale is expected by his foes to crumble in the occupied countries before the letter 'V,' symbol of ultimate victory against the tyrant. A gigantic war of nerves today is actually in progress. It involves the surreptitious scribbling of 'V' on the fences, sidewalks, doors of buildings, the dusty hoods of German military cars, even on tanks and wings of fighting planes at rest. And its concomitant is the banging, whistling, tapping, ringing, tooting of 'V' in Morse code—three quick dots and a dash." The *Independent* adds: "Every few minutes the German radio taps out 'V's' in Morse code. The 'V' is said to stand for 'Victoria,' not a German word at all, as Hitler's own slogan. 'Sieg' is the German word of victory."

The *Clarion-Ledger*, Jackson, Miss., points out, "Wishful thinking tends to overrate the possibilities of the 'V for Victory' movement in Europe, and the person who dislikes being disappointed will keep his fingers firmly crossed while hoping." Continuing, the *Clarion-Ledger* says, "In these days of mechanized warfare, revolt against a conquering army is many times more difficult than in the past when a civilian who could get a rifle was almost as well armed as a soldier because soldiers then did not have the variety of weapons that they do now. For example, a civilian with a rifle is scarcely a match for a soldier with a machine gun and grenades, supported by airplanes and tanks." The *Clarion-Ledger* adds that the campaign must be worrying the Germans, since "the Nazis are now proclaiming that 'V' stands for 'Victoria.'"

Medal for Service in Germany

Reversing its former stand, the War Department, in a letter this week to the chairman of the House Military Committee, gave its endorsement to a bill to authorize the issuance of a medal and ribbon to members of the Army of Occupation of Germany. The Department gave its approval to a bill, H.R. 5189, introduced 26 June by Representative Fad-dis of Pennsylvania.

In his letter, Secretary of War Stimson said:

"The War Department favors the enactment of H. R. 5189, a bill to authorize the issuance of a medal and ribbon for members of the Army of Occupation of Germany."

"Previous legislation has been proposed on this subject wherein the type of award was specifically identified as a 'campaign medal' and 'campaign ribbon' and the War Department opposed such legislation for the reason that a campaign medal signified service in battle or the probability thereof. Such condition of service did not exist under the circumstances of the occupation in question. The language of the proposed bill now eliminates this objection."

"Inasmuch as the principal objection has been removed, and the morale effect of such an award is of particular significance at this time, it is believed by the War Department that the described medal and ribbon should be issued."

"It is noted, however, that the dates stated in the bill do not cover the entire period. The last remaining members of the Army of Occupation left German soil, according to the records of the War Department, on 11 July 1923, and it is recommended that the period be extended accordingly. In addition it is believed that provision should be made for the issue of the award in event the person entitled thereto is deceased, and further, that award to persons who subsequently were separated from the service under conditions other than honorable should not be authorized. It is recommended that these amendments be incorporated in the proposed bill, and for your convenience there is attached a draft designed to accomplish the purpose intended."

"The estimated cost of the proposed type of award, including appurtenances, is 45 cents, and the approximate number of eligible persons is 11,000, or an estimated total cost of \$4,950."

"The War Department recommends that H. R. 5189, as amended in accordance with the attached draft, be enacted into law."

"The Bureau of the Budget advises that there is no objection to the submission of this report."

A BILL

"Authorizing the procurement and issue of an Army of Occupation of Germany Medal for each person who served in Germany as a member of the Army of Occupation."

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to procure and issue an Army of Occupation of Germany Medal of appropriate design, including suitable appurtenances, to be issued to each officer and enlisted man, or to the nearest of kin surviving of those de-

ceased, who served in Germany as a member of the Army of Occupation at any time during the inclusive period from 12 Nov. 1918, to 11 July 1923: Provided, That such medals and appurtenances shall not be issued in cases where the person has, during or subsequent to service in the Army of Occupation of Germany, been dismissed or discharged other than honorably from the service or deserted."

Travel Allowances

In a recent circular letter issued by the War Department it is stated that Reserve Officers and personnel of the National Guard who are called for duty in the service of the United States are entitled to the same travel allowance privileges as Regular Army personnel.

The text of the circular read as follows:

"I.—Transportation of dependents.—1. The provisions of the Military Appropriation Act, 1942, approved 30 June 1941 (Bull. No. 18, W. D., 1941), under "Travel of the Army," authorize transportation of dependents of the personnel mentioned in said act, i.e., personnel of the National Guard while in the service of the United States and of the Officers' Reserve Corps and the Enlisted Reserve Corps ordered to active duty for periods in excess of sixty-one days, 'as now authorized by law for personnel of the Regular Army.' Under the governing statutes personnel of the Regular Army, other than retired personnel, ordered to active duty, are entitled to transportation of dependents or reimbursement therefor only upon permanent change of station. It therefore follows that the personnel mentioned above are entitled to transportation of dependents at Government expense only upon permanent change of station. The above-cited appropriation act, does, however, authorize transportation of dependents of retired officers, warrant officers, and enlisted men of the first three grades of the Regular Army, and of enlisted men of the first three grades of the Regular Army Reserve ordered to active duty, on permanent change of station, and from their homes to their first duty stations upon being ordered to active duty, and from their last stations to their homes upon relief from such active duty."

Appointments in Army of U. S.

Passage of legislation to authorize appointments in the Army of the United States without regard to component struck a snag in the Senate this week, after having been passed recently by the House without question.

Stating that a great number of Reserve officers have not yet been called to duty, Senator Danaher, of Conn., observed, "It is plain that it is not military men who are wanted. . . . So it becomes apparent that the proposed appointees would be civilians, and that they would be specialists, but that they would not be military men. I assume they might be radio commentators or newspaper columnists."

The bill came up on consent calendar and one objection was sufficient to prevent passage. The bill possibly may not come up for consideration again before the Congress takes its recess.

Enlisted Pilot Training

The Air Corps' first class of enlisted men to enter training for flight pilot duty will be started on 23 August at the Spartan School of Aeronautics, Okla., and the Brayton Flying School, Texas.

Regulations, AR 615-150, were promulgated this week as follows:

Eligibility.—a. Who may apply.—Applicants for training as aviation students must at the time of application be—

(1) Enlisted men of the Regular Army or of other components of the Army of the United States in active Federal service.

(2) Unmarried male citizens of the United States.

(3) Between the ages of 18 and 22 years, inclusive.

(4) Individuals who have been graduated, with not less than 1½ mathematics units credits, from a secondary school on the accredited list of the United States Office of Education and whose credits are acceptable to accredited higher institutions.

(5) Individuals who have successfully passed such other tests as the Chief of the Air Corps may prescribe.

(6) Of excellent character.

(7) Of sound physique and in excellent health.

b. Agreement required.—Each enlisted man applying for aviation student training must sign an agreement (with the consent of his parents or guardian, if a minor) by which he will agree—

(1) To reenlist for a period of three years if he has less than one year to complete his current term of service.

(2) Upon successful completion of pilot training (about eight months) to reenlist again in order to serve three years as an enlisted pilot.

(3) To remain unmarried during the period of training as aviation student and during his first enlistment as a noncommissioned officer pilot.

c. Age limit.—No enlisted man will be detailed to aviation student training who has reached his twenty-third birthday.

d. Applicants who have previously received flying training at a service school.—An applicant who has been eliminated from a service flying school due to failure in flying or who has completed the course of instruction in a service flying school is ineligible for aviation student training.

2. Applications.—a. Manner of submitting.—Application will be made through military channels in the form prescribed in paragraph 10. It will be accompanied by—

(1) Three letters of recommendation signed by persons of recognized standing in the community in which the residence of the applicant is located or of officers familiar with his service.

(2) A certificate from the secondary school attended certifying to the subjects pursued by the applicant, the credits and grades attained by the applicant, and a statement as to whether or not the applicant was graduated.

b. To whom and how forwarded.—Applications will be forwarded through military channels to the corps area commander in which their unit is located with appropriate remarks and recommendations.

c. Action upon.—In the case of an approved application of an enlisted man of the Regular Army or of other components of the Army of the United States in active Federal service,

the corps area commander will issue the necessary orders for the applicant to proceed to the nearest station where examinations are held, regardless of corps area, to report to the president of examining board for examination and to return to his proper station on completion thereof. All approved applications will be transmitted by the corps area commander to the presidents of examining boards before which the applicants are to be examined. Upon completion of the examination, the papers will be forwarded by the examining board direct to the Chief of the Air Corps.

d. Change of address of applicants.—Any enlisted man who has submitted an application for training as an aviation student will inform the Chief of the Air Corps of any change of station. Failure to do this is sufficient cause for removal of his name from the list of applicants.

e. Notification of ineligibility.—Applicants found ineligible will be so notified by the authority authorized to act upon applications as soon as their ineligibility shall have been determined.

3. Examination.—a. Examining boards.—Applicants for aviation student training will appear before an aviation cadet examining board prescribed by AR 615-100 as modified by instructions of The Adjutant General to corps area commanders.

b. Physical examination.—Each applicant appearing before the board will first be subjected to the physical examination prescribed in AR 40-110, W.D., A.G.O. Form No. 61 (Physical Examination for Flying) will be forwarded in duplicate. Should the applicant possess defects that may be removed by simple treatment or by a minor operation, the applicant will be permitted to proceed with his examination for moral and educational fitness for pilot training with the understanding that, should he qualify in the latter, he will not be eligible for aviation student training unless and until the board shall find upon subsequent report of physical examination by a qualified examiner (not necessarily a member of the board) that he is physically qualified for flying duty.

c. Moral character and general fitness.—After the physical examination of the applicant has been completed, the board will proceed with an examination into and determination of his moral qualifications, adaptability, etc. These will be determined by means of oral questioning of the applicant, consideration of the letters of recommendation submitted by him, and by such further investigation as the board may consider necessary or desirable in this phase of the examination. The candidate will be required to measure up to the standard prescribed for aviation cadets.

d. Educational fitness.—The board will next proceed with the determination of the educational fitness of the applicant. Each applicant must present a certified document from a secondary school which is on the approved list of the United States Office of Education and whose credits are acceptable for entrance into accredited higher institutions. This document must show—

(1) That the applicant is a graduate from the approved secondary school.

(2) That he has credits amounting to not less than 1½ units of mathematics.

(3) The board will verify that the applicant has the required score in the General Classification Test, War Department, The Adjutant

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Service Extension Law

Legislation to retain in service in the Army of the United States selectees, National Guardsmen, Reservists and regular enlisted men was sent to the President this week for his approval.

It was made clear at the War Department that extension of selectees' time beyond the original one-year period will be the exception rather than the rule. It is planned to relieve most of the men at the expiration of their year's training, holding over only those whose discharge would too seriously weaken an organization. This plan, it was said, will have the beneficial result of building up a larger reserve of trained men.

S. J. Res. 95 as passed by House and Senate provides a bonus of \$10 a month for each person retained in service beyond 12 months. This will apply also to Regular Army men after their first year of service.

S. J. Res. 95 was passed by the Senate on 7 Aug. by a vote of 45 to 30. Amended, the bill was passed on 12 Aug. by a single vote, 203-202.

Administration leaders obtain approval of the Senate on 14 Aug. to the House amendments by a 37-19 vote.

Text of the resolution follows:

Be it enacted, etc., That the Congress, acting in accordance with and solely for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of section 3 (b) of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, hereby declares that the national interest is imperiled.

Sec. 2. The President is hereby authorized, subject, however, to the condition herein after stated, to extend, for such periods of time as may be necessary in the interests of national defense, the periods of service, training and service, enlistment, appointment, or commission, of any or all persons inducted for training and service under said act, members and units of the Reserve components of the Army of the United States (including the National Guard of the United States), retired personnel and enlisted men of the Regular Army, and any other members of the Army, who are now, or who may hereafter be, in or subject to active military service, or training and service: Provided, That extension of the periods of active military service or training and service, in the case of any person subject to the provisions of this section, shall not, without his consent, exceed 18 months in the aggregate; except that whenever the Congress declares that it is in the interests of national defense to further extend such periods of active military service and training and service, such periods may be further extended by the President, in the case of any such persons, for such time as may be necessary in the interests of national defense: Provided further, That the authority hereby conferred is subject to the condition that the delegation of such authority may be revoked at any time by concurrent resolution of the Congress.

Sec. 3. Any person whose period of active military service or training and service is extended under section 2 and who was (a) ordered to active Federal service under Public Resolution No. 96, Seventy-sixth Congress, or (b) inducted under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, prior to the enactment of this act, shall, notwithstanding the limitation in section 602 (a) of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940 upon the time within which application for National Service Life Insurance may be made, be granted insurance under such section without further medical examination if application therefor is filed within 120 days after the date of enactment of this act.

Sec. 4. The Secretary of War shall, when not in conflict with the interests of national defense, release from active military service those persons who apply therefor through the regular military channels and state their reasons for such release, and whose retention in active military service would, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, subject them or their wives or other dependents to undue hardship

if retained on active military service. Any person so released who, in the judgment of those in authority over him, has served satisfactorily shall be entitled to a certificate to that effect, which shall be in the same form and have the same force and effect as a certificate issued under the provisions of section 8 of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended. Any person so released shall be transferred to, or remain in, as the case may be, a reserve component of the land forces for the same period and with the same rights, duties and liabilities as any person transferred to a reserve component of the land forces under the provisions of section 3 (c) of such act.

Sec. 5. Section 3 (c) of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "The active military service or training and service of any person pursuant to section 2 of the Service Extension Act of 1941 shall be credited against the service in a reserve component required by this section or section 3 of the Service Extension Act of 1941."

Sec. 6. The President is hereby authorized to order retired personnel of the Regular Army to active duty and to employ them as he shall deem necessary in the interests of national defense.

Sec. 7. Any person who, subsequent to 1 May 1940, and prior to the termination of the authority conferred by section 2 of this joint resolution, shall have entered upon active military or naval service in the land or naval forces of the United States shall be entitled to all the reemployment benefits of section 8 of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 to the same extent as in the case of persons inducted under said act: Provided, That the provisions of section 8 (b) (A) of said act shall be applicable to any such person without regard to whether the position which he held shall have been covered into the classified civil service during the period of his military or naval service.

Sec. 8. (a) Any person inducted into the land or naval forces of the United States for active training and service, under section 3 (b) of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 shall, in addition to the amounts otherwise payable to such person with respect to such training and service, be entitled to receive the sum of \$10 for each month of such training and service in excess of 12. The provisions of this section shall also apply (1) to any enlisted personnel of the National Guard of the United States or of any other reserve component of the Army of the United States ordered into the active military service under the authority of Public Resolution Numbered 96, approved 27 August 1940, or section 37a of the National Defense Act of 1916, as amended, for any such service so rendered by any such personnel in excess of 12 months, and (2) to any enlisted personnel of the Regular Army for each month of military service rendered by him after the date of enactment of this joint resolution, and after his total military service (rendered before or after such date) exceeds 12 months.

(b) The provisions of this section shall be applicable only during the period of the unlimited emergency declared by the President on 27 May 1941.

Sec. 9. During the existence of the authority conferred by section 2 of this joint resolution and for 6 months thereafter the limitation on the number of men who may be in active training and service at any one time under section 3 (b) of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 is hereby suspended: Provided, That the Secretary of War shall report to the Congress each month the number of men in active training and service in the land forces under section 3 (b) of said act.

Sec. 10. During the existence of the authority conferred by section 2 of this joint resolution, enlistments in the Army of the United States, without regard to component, are hereby authorized in the manner provided by the concluding paragraph of section 127a of the National Defense Act, as amended.

Sec. 11. Section 1 of Public Resolution Numbered 96, Seventy-sixth Congress, approved 27 August 1940, is hereby amended (1) by inserting after "30 June 1942," the following: "or 6 months after the termination of the authority conferred by section 2 of the Service Extension Act of 1941, whichever is the later" and (2) by adding at the end thereof the following: "Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section the President is authorized to order the same member or the same unit into the active military service of the United States for more than one period, except that in the case of any such member any active military service under authority of this resolution in excess of 12 months shall be deemed an extension of active military service within the meaning of section 2 of the Service Extension Act of 1941."

Sec. 12. This joint resolution may be cited as the "Service Extension Act of 1941."

Fix Dates of Rank

In accordance with a new ruling by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, Special Orders were issued this week setting new dates of rank for approximately 400 retired officers of the Army who are now on active duty.

Formerly such officers were considered to rank from the date of their commissions. However, it is now held that when retired officers are recalled to active duty their total length of active service in the rank, or higher rank, they will hold on the active list, will be computed and their date of rank set that length of time back from the time of their return to the active list. Thus, an officer who was commissioned a captain in 1930, retired in 1932 and recalled to active duty in 1940 would rank from 1938.

In another opinion, concerning temporary advanced rank, the Judge Advocate General held:

"All officers on active duty, other than Air Corps officers holding temporary advanced grade under the act of 16 June 1936, take rank among themselves in accordance with Section 127a, National Defense Act, as amended. All officers serving in any given grade on active duty, (including officers of the National Guard of the United States and Reserve Officers) take rank preceding officers of the Air Corps who are temporarily advanced in grade under the provisions of the Act of 16 June 1936. The latter group of officers take rank among themselves in accordance with their standing on the relative rank list of the Air Corps in their permanent grades."

Service Uniform

Section I, Circular No. 159, War Department, 1940, has been rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"1. Except as indicated in paragraph 2, trousers, tan cotton socks, and shoes are designated as articles of the uniform for all arms and services, in lieu of breeches, white cotton socks, and boots or leggings now prescribed in Army Regulations. Wool socks are still authorized, as listed in Tables of Basic Allowances, but plain tan (or brown) socks will be worn when low shoes are worn. For field service, in the discretion of the commanding officer, canvas leggings may be prescribed for wear with trousers. A commanding officer may authorize members of his command on mounted duty to wear breeches and boots or leggings, and, in order to utilize the supply of such articles which are now on hand and in the possession of personnel not on mounted duty, he may authorize members of his command to wear breeches and boots or leather leggings during field service or while engaged in field exercises or off duty at posts or stations.

"2. a. The existing mounted uniform is authorized for personnel of horse, animal-drawn or pack organizations (except pack organizations of Field Artillery). Personnel assigned to regiments or independent smaller organizations which are partially horse, animal-drawn, or pack will wear the mounted uniform.

"b. Trousers may be worn by mounted personnel when not on duty requiring them to be mounted.

"3. All articles in the possession of enlisted men replaced by the new issue, which includes breeches, boots, white cotton socks, and spiral leggings, which are new, unused, and not marked, may be turned in and credit taken therefor as prescribed in paragraph 5, AR 35-6560, as amended by paragraph 3, Circular No. 147, War Department, 1940, and Section I, Circular No. 93, War Department, 1941.

"4. Breeches, boots, spiral leggings, and white cotton socks remaining in the possession of enlisted men after receipt of the new issue may be continued in use, except for military formations, until worn out.

Headgear

"Existing conditions require the issue of several types of headgear," the department states. "Commanding officers may prescribe the wearing of such authorized headgear in possession of their troops, or available for issue, as is appropriate under the existing weather conditions to protect best the health of the command."

Pending the revision of AR 600-40, June 22, 1931, paragraph 31 of those regulations is rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"31. Headgear.—a. Cap field.—Authorized for wear by all personnel.

"b. Cap, service.—(1) Authorized for wear by all officers and warrant officers not in formation with troops.

"(2) Authorized for wear by enlisted men who are assigned to corps area service commands or to the War Department overhead.

"c. Cap, winter.—Authorized for wear in northern climate.

"d. Cap, winter, lambkin lined.—Authorized for wear by personnel in Alaska or other cold weather localities.

"e. Hat, field, cotton.—Authorized for wear by all officers and enlisted men except those of mounted units and of overseas departments.

"f. Hat, service.—Authorized for wear by personnel of mounted units, by troops in Alaska, in overseas departments, and in localities where the cotton uniform is not worn at any time; and by officers when the field hat

is worn by enlisted men.

"g. Helmet, fiber, cloth-covered.—Authorized for wear by personnel in Puerto Rican, Panama Canal, Hawaiian, and Philippine Departments and other overseas tropical stations."

Defense Bonds in Services

At the same time that War Department officials announced the opening of a campaign for the sale of United States Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps among its 22,800 officers and civilian employees in Washington, the Navy Department announced that Rear Adm. Charles Conrad, (SC), USN-Ret., has been appointed to active duty to take charge of a similar campaign in the entire Naval establishment.

Major Gen. H. K. Loughry, Chief of Finance, will supervise the War Department campaign. Using a recent test campaign in the Office of the Chief of Finance as a criterion, War Department officials explain that if a similar degree of participation prevails, approximately \$3,800,000 in defense bonds and stamps would be purchased annually by Washington employees.

Rear Admiral Conrad, who will head the Office of Defense Savings Bonds for the U. S. Navy, will be assisted by Comdr. Gerald A. Eubank, (SC), USNR, who was called to active duty by the Navy in May. Admiral Conrad has been serving as Navy liaison officer in the Division of Purchases, Office of Production, while Commander Eubank has been at Philadelphia as assistant supply officer for the Fourth Naval District.

Expressing confidence that personnel of the Navy would purchase at least \$40,000,000 worth of Defense Savings Bonds in the next year, Rear Admiral Conrad said, "These bonds are an excellent medium of savings investment, and offer a real opportunity to the service man. Simultaneously while he is building for himself in the purchasing of them, he will be doing a patriotic turn for his country."

Army "Plucking" Begins

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due and the officer's home address. The corps area commander without waiting for receipt of the resignation will at once issue orders granting the officer all accrued leave, returning the officer to his home and relieving him from active duty. The relief from active duty will be effective at the termination of the leave increased by travel time. The corps area commander in forwarding the resignation to the War Department will state the date he received the radio requesting relief of the officer and inclose two copies of the order.

c. If serving in an overseas command, the overseas commander will issue orders returning the officer to the United States with the least practicable delay. The orders will direct that the officer concerned report to the commander of the corps area in which the port of embarkation is located who will take action as indicated in b above. The overseas commander will radio promptly to the corps area commander stating that such resignation is being forwarded. The resignation of the officer will then be forwarded by the overseas commander to the War Department through the commander of the corps area in which the port of embarkation is located, who will indorse the date of arrival of the officer and inclose two copies of the orders ordering him home.

d. The officers resigning under the provisions of this paragraph are not entitled to a statement of satisfactory service.

e. These resignations must be handled promptly. Subsequent to adjustment of property and financial responsibility and completion of physical examination of the officer concerned, resignations will not be held in any headquarters in excess of one working day."

The Journal Salutes

This week the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL salutes:

Brig. Gen. Alexander D. Surles, USA, on assuming duties as director of the War Department Bureau of Public Relations.

Lt. David James Welsh, USN, on assuming duty as commander of the Naval Air Station, Palmyra Island, which was commissioned yesterday.

Major Gen. Allen W. Gullion, USA, on assuming duty as Provost Marshal General.

Did You Read—

the following important service stories last week:

Army to increase number of military policemen, expand officer candidate schools?

Navy makes plans to bring submarines from Great Lakes?

Coast Guard asks authority to requisition motorboats, yachts?

Chemical Warfare Service sets up civil defense section?

If not you did not read the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. You cannot obtain this information from any other source.

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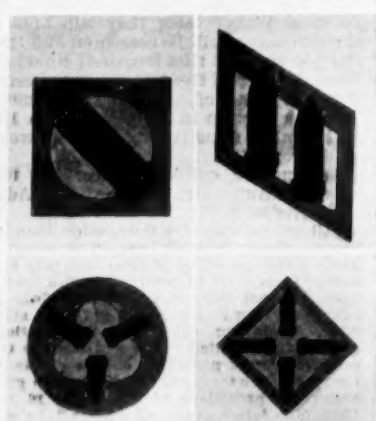
Puerto Rican Blackout

The resumption of blackout practices in the Island was announced by Maj. Gen. James L. Collins, Commanding General of the Puerto Rican Department, with a blackout in the municipality of Guanica on Friday night, 8 Aug. 1941. The last previous blackout was held in the municipality of Vega Daja.

A preliminary blackout meeting was held in Guanica on 4 Aug. presided by the Mayor of the municipality and attended by three officers of the Puerto Rican Military Department. At the meeting it was decided that the municipality would be blacked-out from 9:00 to 9:15 p. m. on Friday, 8 Aug.

The blackout covered the whole municipality including the port of Ensenada, an area of approximately 50 square miles. Civilian authorities stopped traffic going through the municipality at that time, and the Captain of the port contacted Coast Guard authorities so that he was able to put out the lights during that time.

The blackout was observed from the ground by an Army officer and by planes from Borinquen Field. Civilian authorities, police officials and other organizations in the municipality proved most helpful in organizing this blackout practice.



The new shoulder insignia to be issued about 1 Sept. for wear by all soldiers in the Coast Artillery District commands. The insignia bears the red and gold Coast Artillery colors superimposed on an olive drab base. Shown are the insignia of the First, Second, Third and Fourth Coast Artillery District Commands. Other insignia for Ninth District Command is expected to be approved shortly. The number of projectiles indicates the district to which the wearer belongs in these first four districts.

Age Retirement for Reserves

The provisions of age retirement for Regular Army officers, which will go into effect next year, are to be applied to officers of the Reserve Corps. It was announced this week when changes in regulations were promulgated.

Reserve Major generals and all officers of the non-promotion list will be transferred to the Inactive Reserve at the age of 64 years. Brigadier generals of the reserve will be transferred to the Inactive Reserve at the age of 62. All other officers of the reserve will be transferred to the Inactive Reserve at the age of 60 years. None will thereafter be reappointed in the Reserve Corps. These provisions become effective 1 July 1942.

The move is effectuated by the issuance of the following instructions pending the printing of changes in AR 140-5:

Pending the printing of changes in AR 140-5, 17 June 1941, the following instructions are published:

"1. To and including 30 June 1942, all Reserve officers upon reaching the age of 64 years will be transferred to the Inactive Reserve and at the end of their current appointment period will not be reappointed in the Officers' Reserve Corps.

"2. No officer in the Inactive Reserve who has reached the age of 64 years at date of expiration of appointment will be reappointed.

"3. Effective 1 July 1942, all major generals of the Officers' Reserve Corps, and all Reserve officers of the Medical Department and the Corps of Chaplains, will be transferred to the Inactive Reserve upon reaching the age of 64 years and will not be reappointed in the Officers' Reserve Corps at the end of the current appointment period; all brigadier generals of the Officers' Reserve Corps will be transferred to the Inactive Reserve upon reaching the age of 62 years and will not be reappointed in the Officers' Reserve Corps at the end of the current appointment period; all other officers of the Officers' Reserve Corps will be transferred to the Inactive Reserve upon reaching the age of 60 years and will not be reappointed in the Officers' Reserve Corps at the end of the current appointment period. (In time of war, such appointments remaining in force at the end of an appointment period will be permitted to terminate without reappointment 6 months after the termination of the war.)"

The War Department also announced that any Reserve officer whose current appointment will expire before 1 Feb. 1942, may qualify for reappointment on an eligible status under the provisions of section IV, AR 140-5, 16 June 1936.

Reserve officers in a status of ineligibility for assignment, active duty, and promotion in time of peace, may, until and including 31 Jan. 1942, qualify for an eligible status under the provisions of section IV, AR 140-5, 16 June 1936.

A Certificate of Capacity for the pur-

poses set forth in paragraphs 1 and 2 may be acquired for use up to and including 31 Jan. 1942, under the provisions of sections V and VI, AR 140-5, 16 June 1936.

In connection with paragraph 35a, AR 140-5, 17 June 1941, the following provisions effective 1 Oct. 1940, and terminating 1 Oct. 1942, have been issued for the information and guidance of all concerned:

"In lieu of enrollment in the Army Extension Courses, a Reserve officer may, during his current appointment period, undergo a written examination in the subjects prescribed for the grade and section sought, provided that on 1 Oct. 1940, there remained to be served not more than 2 years of his current period of appointment and that he shall on 1 Oct. 1940, not have been enrolled in the series of the Army Extension Courses required for promotion or transfer to the grade and section sought."

General Officers Assigned

The War Department this week announced that Maj. Gen. John P. Lucas, now on duty at Ft. Lewis, Wash., has been assigned to command the Third Infantry Division with headquarters at Ft. Lewis. General Lucas succeeds Maj. Gen. Charles F. Thompson recently transferred to command the I Army Corps with headquarters at Columbia, S. C.

Maj. Gen. Davenport Johnson, now on temporary duty in the Panama Canal Department, has been assigned to duty with the Caribbean Defense Command, with headquarters at Quarry Heights, Panama Canal Zone. General Johnson has been on duty as Assistant Chief of the Air Corps, Washington, D. C. In his new assignment, General Johnson will succeed Maj. Gen. Frank M. Andrews who was recently designated as head of the Caribbean Defense Command.

Maj. Gen. Oscar W. Griswold has been assigned to command the Fourth Motorized Division at Ft. Benning, Ga. General Griswold is at present in command of the Infantry Replacement Training Center at Camp Croft, S. C. In his new assignment General Griswold will succeed Maj. Gen. Lloyd R. Fredendall who was recently assigned to command the II Army Corps.

Brig. Gen. Muir S. Fairchild will move from the headquarters of the Army Air Forces, Washington, D. C., to duty in the office of the Chief of Air Corps in Washington.

Brig. Gen. Homer R. Oldfield now on duty in the Panama Canal Department, has been relieved from his present assignment and duty and directed to report to the commanding general, Panama Canal Department, for duty.

Col. Dwight D. Eisenhower, GSC, now on duty at headquarters, Third Army, San Antonio, Tex., has been designated as chief of staff, Third Army. Inasmuch as the position is one rating the rank of brigadier general, it is assumed that his promotion may be forthcoming shortly.

Baggage of Reserve Officers

Pending revision of AR 30-960, 24 May 1938, paragraph 12a (5) (a) of those regulations has been rescinded and the following substituted therefor:

"12a(5)(a) From their homes to their first permanent duty stations and/or from any points to any points, as may be desired by the owners, upon being ordered to active duty for a period of 6 months or more, provided that any cost in the aggregate of all shipments so made over and above that which would have been allowed at Government expense on a like weight of authorized property shipped in one lot from the home to the first permanent duty station, as determined under paragraph 24, will be borne by the owner, subject to the provisions of paragraph 22. If a Reserve officer ordered to active duty for a period of 6 months or more does not exhaust his authorized weight allowance of baggage shipped upon assignment to his first permanent duty station, he may, upon any subsequent permanent assignment, have shipped from his home and/or any other points to such subsequent permanent duty station any such unused weight allowance to which entitled upon assignment to such subsequent permanent duty station, without regard to the provisions of paragraph 14 with respect thereto except where shipments are made in separated lots."

Shoulder Sleeve Insignia

The design of the shoulder sleeve insignia of the War Department Overseas has been approved. The design is described as follows:

"A blue five pointed star, one point 1 3/4 inches in diameter on a white background within a red border outside diameter 2 1/4 inches inside invected of star."

"This design has its origin in the crest of the Coat of Arms of the United States and involves the use of the national colors of red, white and blue."

First Aid Course Begins

Instruction in First Aid began this week at Ft. Benning, Ga., under auspices of the Women's Defense Volunteer Service Committee.

The course in first aid, which is under the supervision of the Red Cross, is a prerequisite to enrollment in courses which are to be offered later at that post. Scheduled to begin in the future are courses in maintenance, home hygiene, motor driving, and "Grey Ladies" work.

Change JAGD Appointment Age

A bill, S. 1834, has been introduced by Senator Thomas, of Utah, which would amend the National Defense Act to open Regular Army commissions in the Judge Advocate General's Department to "members of the Officers' Reserve Corps who are qualified attorneys at law between the ages of 30 and 45 years." Present age limit is 30 to 36 years.

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As a result, American newspaper readers have been looking at war photographs soon after they were snapped on the eastern battle fronts. The newspaper credit lines have read, "RCA test transmission radiophoto." The pictures dated July 8 were the first America ever saw from Moscow by radio.

During the first World War there were weeks of delay before Americans saw pictures from the Russian sector. The radiophoto was but a dream of scientists. But they became master of the dream and in 1941, when Russia was ready to put pictures in the air, American apparatus developed by RCA Laboratories was ready on this side of the sea to receive them.

The Russian pictures enter the United States at the antennas of R.C.A. Communications, Inc., at "Radio Central," River-

head, Long Island. Automatically the impulses are relayed to the radiophoto machines at R.C.A. Communications' headquarters, 66 Broad Street, New York. That is the terminal of the 4,615-mile chute through space.

How is it done? In Russia the picture is wrapped on a cylinder, which as it revolves enables a pinpoint of light to release the lights and shadows of the picture to actuate a short-wave radio transmitter. The radio impulses, therefore, correspond to the shadings of the picture. In New York a similar cylinder is turning, and around it is wrapped a sensitized paper or "negative." It revolves in step with the Russian cylinder and as it does another needle of light, controlled by the incoming picture-carrying impulses, acts as a pen. It reconstructs or "paints" the picture line by line.

New York is the world-center of radiophoto reception, with the picture circuits now extending to London, Berlin, Tokyo, Buenos Aires and Moscow. It is RCA Laboratories apparatus at the headquarters of R.C.A. Communications, Inc., on the tip of Manhattan Island, that puts the pictures back on paper after they are etched electrically in space between the hemispheres.



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THE UNITED STATES NAVY and MARINE CORPS

Extend Sea Services' Enlistments

The Senate has agreed to House amendments to legislation extending enlistments hereafter made in the Navy to make the legislation apply also to the Marine Corps and to double enlistment bounties of men of the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard who reenlist within 24 hours.

The bill, S. 353, now goes to the President for approval.

The original Senate bill provided that enlistments hereafter made in the Navy could be extended for duration of the emergency and six months thereafter.

Additions by the House made this feature apply to the Marine Corps as well. The House also provided that hereafter the enlistment allowance paid to men of the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard who reenlist within 90 days will be doubled for those who reenlist within 24 hours of expiration of their enlistment. The House also stated that men whose enlistments were extended under the bill should not receive the additional one-fourth pay provided by Section 1422 of the Revised Statutes for men detained beyond termination of their enlistments by reason of their absence at sea.

Sponsor Designated

Secretary of the Navy Knox has designated Mrs. Edward John Marquart, wife of Rear Adm. Edward John Marquart, USN, Commandant of the U. S. Navy Yard, New York, N. Y., as sponsor for the submarine Guardfish, now under construction.

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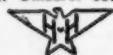


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Navy, Coast Guard Allowances

Legislation to authorize repayment to officers of the Navy and Marine Corps of money paid by them for quarters on shore while their ships are under overhaul was passed by the Senate this week after being amended to include Coast Guard officers as well.

The bill states:

"That hereafter officers... on sea duty who are deprived of their quarters on board ship due to repairs or other conditions which render them uninhabitable, and in cases where the hire of quarters is not practicable, may be reimbursed for expenses incurred in an amount not exceeding their quarters allowance."

Navy Abandons Swords

Because of the urgent need for metals used in the manufacture of swords, modifications have been authorized by the Navy Department regarding the use of this distinctive piece of equipment for officers. Hereafter possession of a sword by Naval Reserve Officers as a requisite for uniform allowances has been eliminated.

Effective 12 Aug. officers first reporting for active duty are not required to own swords. Senior officers present at any station or afloat, at their discretion, may discontinue the wearing of swords by officers in their commands. The new order retains the sword belt as a part of the required uniform, which may be worn on prescribed occasions in lieu of the sword. The order will remain in effect until further notice.

Navy Active Duty Allowances

The Senate this week passed legislation which would provide pay and allowances and mileage or transportation for officers and men of the Naval and Marine Corps Reserves or retired personnel of the Navy or Marine Corps from home stations to place of duty by way of physical examination point.

Under the bill, S. 1701, those rejected physically would be paid also for time and travel spent in the return home from the examining station.

Under the act any person ordered to active duty receives travel from home to place of examination and from that place back to home or to station, and receives pay and allowances for time spent in travelling and in undergoing examination. The bill is retroactive to 8 Sept. 1939.

Navy Aids Voters

Cooperating with the State of New York in registering absentee qualified voters who are serving in the Navy, Secretary of the Navy Knox announced this week that commanding officers of all naval activities ashore and afloat have been directed to make a survey of personnel to determine the number of men over 21 years of age who are legal residents of the State of New York. Applications for registration will be sent to each Naval activity.

Navy to Build 1,950 Houses

Secretary of the Navy Knox announced this week that the Navy will shortly let contracts for the construction of 1,950 additional low-cost housing units costing approximately \$6,825,000. They will be used for housing married enlisted, and civilian personnel and will be located as follows: Banana River, Fla., 50 units; Jacksonville, Fla., 400 units; Jacksonville, N. C., 700 units; Dalgren, Va., 50 units; Cape May, N. J., 50 units; New London, Conn., 100 units; and California, 600 units.

Selection Board To Convene

Secretary of the Navy Knox has ordered the senior selection board of the line of the Naval Reserve to convene on 29 August to recommend captains and commanders for promotion to the next higher grade.

Rear Adm. Charles P. Snyder, USN, will serve as president of the board. Other members include Rear Admirals Charles S. Freeman, USN; Adolphus Andrews, USN; John W. Wilcox, Jr., USN; Russell Willson, USN; Leigh Noyes, USN; Arthur L. Bristol, Jr., USN; Aubrey W. Fitch, USN; and Edward A. Evers, D-O, USNR; Lt. Comdr. Nell K. Dietrich, USN, will serve as recorder, with Lt. Comdr. James A. Mitchell, USNR, as his assistant.

NBC and the Navy

For Navy men who wish to attend broadcasts at the studios of the National Broadcasting Company in New York, the Guest Relations Division of NBC has made special arrangements. The chaplains of the Brooklyn Navy Yard and of the USS Prairie State will receive regular weekly allotments of tickets to such programs as "Johnny Presents," "Cities Service Concert," and the "Voice of Firestone." Reduced rates on the combined studio and television tour at NBC's Radio City headquarters have also been obtained.

The NBC guide staff has made another type of contribution to the Navy. It is a reduction of eight percent of the entire staff—who have become a part of the Naval Reserve. Unique NBC addition to the Naval Reserve is Ensign Ensign ("Powell") Ensign before he became an ensign.)

Jack Hartley, former assistant director of NBC's News and Special Events Division, is now doing the same for the Navy and is stationed in its Washington headquarters. Welbourne ("Webb") Kelley has left the NBC script division to do scripts in Washington for the Navy. He is the creator of the no-doubt-world-famous Chamber Music Society of Lower Basin Street's strange and intriguing patter, and has retained the writing of this show in addition to his Navy duties. Since Webb left Radio City one "Basin Street" broadcast was attended by no less than 300 men from the training ship USS Prairie State.

Marine Corps Confirmations

The Senate on 7 August confirmed the appointments and promotions in the Marine Corps of the following:

To be First Lieutenants	To be Second Lieutenants
George R. Newton	William M. Frash
Richard D. Weber	R. S. Hargrave, Jr.
W. A. Houston, Jr.	Robert S. Howell
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Daniel C. Pollock	Thomas L. Ridge
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Guy H. Kissinger, Jr.	George A. Graves
Harold R. Warner, Jr.	Maurice W. Fletcher
Edward H. Hurst	Charles W. McCoy
Donn J. Robertson	John W. Burkhardt

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Rents increased in a large proportion of dwelling units and in some instances more than doubled in small industrial cities and camp towns during the year since the defense program was inaugurated, according to a summary of WPA rental studies released this week by Howard O. Hunter, Commissioner of Work Projects.

More than half of 58 communities surveyed showed rent increases for more than 30 percent of their rental dwellings. In half of the places surveyed the average increases were more than 20 percent of the rent paid in March, 1940.

A summary of another series of studies, on vacant dwellings available in defense areas, disclosed that in 90 percent of the areas the vacancy rates in recent months were well below the five percent level which is considered normal. In two out of every five of the areas the housing situation was found to be "critical," with fewer than two percent of the dwelling units vacant.

Both studies were conducted by the WPA Division of Research, the rent survey at the request of the Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply and the vacancy surveys at the request of the Division of Defense Housing Coordination. The surveys are being used by the agencies which requested them in planning programs of rent control and defense housing construction.

"In a number of areas the rent increases have been truly startling," Mr. Hunter said. "They are hardest, moreover, on the families who are least able to pay, because in most instances the increases have been relatively greater on the poorer and cheaper dwellings."

In Burlington, Iowa, the study showed, more than half of the rents had been raised and the average increase was 33 percent. In Leesville, La., almost three-fourths of the rents had been raised, the average increase amounting to 109 percent.

More than three-fourths of the rents in Brownwood, Texas, were up, and the average increase was 64 percent. In the small town of Starke, Fla., near Camp Blanding, seven-tenths of the rents had been raised an average of 101 percent.

Colonel Mott Promoted

The War Department this week announced that Col. T. Bentley Mott, USA-Ret., has been advanced on the retired list of the Army to the rank of brigadier general, this date from 13 June 1940.

Born at Leesburg, Va., in 1865, General Bentley was graduated from the United States Military Academy and was promoted through the grades to the rank of lieutenant colonel. He was retired on 17 November 1914, but was recalled to duty in May, 1917 and was made a colonel in 1918. During the World War, he was attached to General Pershing's staff and later represented General Pershing on Marshal Foch's staff.

He was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal; Comdr. de la Legion d'Honneur (French); Officer de l'Ordre de Leopold (Belgian); Companion of St. Michael and St. George (British); Officer Order of St. Stanislas (Polish). He was also commended during the Manila campaign for his "gallantry and service." Among other official duties, he served as Military Attache to American Embassy, Paris from 1900-1905 and from 1919-1930. He has been a contributor to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. Lately he has been on active duty at the American Embassy in France.

Shaw Field

The Air Corps flying field (Technical School) located at Sumter, S. C., has been designated as Shaw Field.

The War Situation

Eight weeks ago Hitler launched his attack against Russia along a 2000-mile battle front from the Arctic Ocean to the Black Sea. This attack unquestionably took the Russian High Command by surprise and within two weeks the Nazis had driven through the Russian-held buffer states and had reached the Stalin Line. The Russians say that there is no such thing as a Stalin Line, and furthermore, they say that Hitler has attempted to conceal the failure of his Nazis, either to destroy Stalin's armies or to capture the cities of Leningrad, Moscow and Kiev, by stressing the importance of an imaginary line, where the first Nazi offensive met effective Russian resistance. The territorial gains by the mechanized and motorized Nazi units were impressive and seemed to justify the consensus of opinion of the military experts that the German-Russian campaign would be a short one. The relatively slow advances made by the Nazis during the succeeding six weeks lead to the conclusion that the rapid advances made in the first two weeks were due to the weaknesses of the Russians in the buffer states rather than the invincibility of Nazi armies.

It is more than likely that the Russian strategy never contemplated stopping the Nazis near the frontier. Some military experts hold that the Russian strategy should be to withdraw gradually, taking as heavy a toll as possible of the Axis forces, which are now reported to include some Italian units. Since the initial Nazi drive, the Russians are believed to have as large or even larger forces on all fronts than the Nazis. The British estimates put Russian losses at 1,600,000 and those of the Nazis at 1,000,000.

The deeper the penetration of the Axis forces on such a vast front, the more difficult becomes the problem of replacements. Also, the more difficult becomes the problem of the establishment and protection of the well-supplied advance bases which the Axis forces must have to carry on their offensives with mechanized and motorized warfare. In view of the great prominence now being given to the possible shortage of gasoline on the Eastern Seaboard of the United States, it is easy to visualize the difficulties confronting Hitler in supplying his war machine as it moves to the eastward.

As the battle front advanced toward Moscow, Hitler initiated bombing raids on that city. Observers report that these raids have caused very little damage and are more or less nuisance attacks. It is reported that the bombers have to fly from bases as far back as Lithuania, 500 to 600 miles from Moscow. These reports indicate that the Nazi forces have been unable to improvise rapidly the necessary bases in occupied Russian territory close behind their front lines.

Twice during the past eight weeks Hitler's war machine has stopped to consolidate its gains and to establish its bases so essential for further advances. According to the Russian communique, the third great Nazi offensive of the present campaign has spent itself. So far as one is able to glean from the communique, the Red Army is intact and not in imminent danger of immediate "annihilation." Its air force has begun bombing raids on Berlin and its old style cavalry (horse) is active against the Nazi advance bases—its lines of communications. The wide open spaces on a 2000-mile battle front with a depth of 200 to 300 miles cannot be kept under close observation by the Luftwaffe, especially when its bases are hundreds of miles distant. It is through such spaces that Russian guerrillas, even horse cavalry and other regular units, have been able to engage in unorthodox methods of warfare, which appear to be causing considerable trouble behind the Nazi lines.

U. S. COAST GUARD

WITH national defense making great demands upon its ships and personnel, the Coast Guard is today placing added importance upon the Coast Guard Auxiliary. Already 98 boats have been turned over for Coast Guard duties by private owners, with the ultimate aim being to have 270 such boats in active service. These vessels are used mainly for harbor patrol, and perform the same duties as regular Coast Guard vessels. Only cost to the Coast Guard is actual operation expenses.

At the present time, there are 118 commissioned Reserve officers serving with the Coast Guard. It is expected that when the expansion is completed, there will be some 279 Reserve officers on active duty. These officers, most of whom are private yachtsmen and men with small boat experience, serve for a period of three years, a length of service that may be extended for the duration of the emergency.

Many of the Reserve Officers have come into the Coast Guard with their own ships. If (after proper examination) they are found qualified they are then commissioned in the Coast Guard Reserve.

More Planes Delivered

The Coast Guard has accepted four J4F-1 light, twin-engined Grumman amphibian planes, which have been assigned to the Air Stations at Salem, Mass.; New York, N. Y.; Elizabeth City, N. C.; and St. Petersburg, Fla. Four more of these

planes are expected to be delivered to the Coast Guard by the manufacturer within the next month. These planes will be assigned to the remaining Air Stations with the exception of those at Miami, Fla., and Charleston, S. C.

Operations

Tentative plans are being made by Headquarters to transfer certain of the 125-foot Cutters which are being fitted or which are to be fitted with buoy derricks, capable of lifting a 4,000-pound weight. Permanent stations of the twelve vessels to be so equipped have not as yet been definitely established.

The cadets of the second class at the Coast Guard Academy will make their annual practice cruise aboard the Cadet Practice Ship Atlantic along the eastern seaboard of the United States during the latter part of this month.

The Cutter Taney which departed Honolulu, T. H. on 29 July with colonists, building materials, food supplies, and medicines for the resident colonists of the Equatorial Islands, returned to her home station at Honolulu on 7 August.

Not yet made public is the hearing on the Coast Guard supplemental appropriation request for 1942. The Bureau of the Budget conducted this hearing on 30 July.

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"For the sake of our children and their children's children, we must build up and properly maintain our treaty navy."—THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

OUR PRIORITY LIST

1. Legislative assurance, now, that our land, sea, and air forces will be maintained at such strengths as may be determined by the War Department General Staff and the General Board of the Navy to be necessary to guard the nation and its interests against any enemy or combination of enemies.
2. Upward revision of pay schedules for commissioned, warrant and enlisted personnel, active and retired; all temporarily promoted officers to receive pay of grade in which serving.
3. A long range study by the General Board of the Navy to the end that an equitable and just system of promotion for the line and staff of the Navy and Marine Corps be enacted into law.
4. Revision of pension laws to assure service widows a living income.
5. Compensation for service personnel who use privately owned automobiles on government business.

MANY OF THE NATIONAL GUARD, Reserves and Selectees are disappointed at the decision of Congress authorizing their retention in service for an additional eighteen months and, perhaps, for a longer period, should that body find the interests of National Defense require it. We believe, however, that with the better understanding they have of the need of more intensive training in order to perform efficiently the complicated duties which modern war entails, and of the grave peril involving the country, they will recognize the wisdom of their continuance with the Colors, and accept without cavil, the personal inconveniences they will suffer. To ameliorate their lot, Congress has protected those with insurance policies, has authorized an increase of \$10 per month in pay after one year's service, and has directed the Secretary of War to release any man making application for discharge, whose retention would work undue hardship on him or his wife or dependent. It may be expected that Secretary Stimson will be most considerate in the exercise of the authority confided to him, but necessarily, under the law, he must observe that provision which compels him to decide in each case whether a discharge would conflict with the interests of National Defense. As the men have discovered, a modern military machine, to work smoothly and effectively, must have every member of its personnel automatically qualified to perform his duty. This requires incessant and prolonged training in order to obtain the cooperation and coordination, for example, of the plane, the tank, the gun and the Infantry; and twelve months are not sufficient to gain the proficiency necessary to meet such a force as the Germans have employed in Europe. We are confident that when aware that the school of the soldier requires time for graduation, the men will have the same point of view as that expressed by William McChesney Martin, whose salary as President of the New York Stock Exchange, was \$48,000 per annum. "I'm doing everything the Army tells me to do," said Martin. That, we believe, is the spirit of his fellow soldiers, especially in view of the menace from west and east directed against our country and way of life.

HOW DEFEAT AND SURRENDER sap a people's gratitude is indicated by the report from Versailles that the statue of General Pershing at nearby Graches had crashed into a thousand pieces. The statue of plaster cast, erected by the City of Versailles, with a statue of bronze of Marquis Lafayette, built from funds furnished by American school children, formed a memorial to the Lafayette Escadrille. It is easy to understand that the General's statue was anathema to the German invaders, who burn at the recollection of the disasters inflicted upon their arms and country by the A.E.F., organized and led by its efficient and indomitable Commander-in-Chief. Doubtless their French satellites, anxious to curry favor with them, were not unwilling to see disappear a tribute to the saviour of the Republic of France they now repudiate. It is explained that a violent summer wind was responsible for the blowing down of the statue. It must have been extraordinarily violent since the statue had stood for twelve years when winds of equal force had swept the vicinity, and in any case proper care would have assured its protection. Some months ago the French Ambassador to the United States proposed that the statue be replaced in bronze, but Marshal Petain postponed the action because of war conditions. To show they have not forgotten General Pershing, and to express anew the debt of gratitude they are under to him, the proposal should be revived and the bronze statue erected. Whether this be done or not, the fact remains that the true people of France continue conscious of the tremendous service he rendered them, and while statues may be destroyed, be they of bronze or plaster, history will accord him the high place in its annals, which his achievements deserve.

Service Humor

Since Frank has grabbed the Movie Stars
To make them tarry seamen
Egad, I think that we should have
Platoons made up of women.
How strong the Fleet he'll organize
Equipped with Beery, Fairbanks!
No force, howe'er, could withstand
Entrapment by my fair ranks!
A Dietrich and a Myrna Loy
Rogers, of Ginger fame—
Leaders sure to make a foe
Yield to arms with glad acclaim.

H. I. S.
(Contributed)

Comptometer Needed

Captain—"What are you scratching your head for, Rufus?"

Colored Private—"Ah, sah, I got arithmetic bugs in my head."

Captain—"What are arithmetic bugs?"

Colored Private—"Dat's cooties."

Captain—"Why do you call them arithmetic bugs?"

Colored Private—"Because dey add to misery, dey subtract from my pleasure, and divide my attenshun, and dey multiply like the dickens."

—Exchange.

Crazy?

Draftee—"Well, just one short kiss and I must be off."

Fiancee—"I'll say you must be if that's all you want."

—Castle Broadcaster.

Old Hand!

The old soldier had been recalled to the colors. On the first day, he found himself being drilled by an officious young Corporal.

"When I call your names, spring smartly to attention and answer, 'Here, Corporal,'" instructed the non commissioned officer. "Palmer," a click of heels and "Here, Corporal." "Bank," "Here, Corporal." "Smith," a weary "here" was the only reply. "Here what?" snapped the non commissioned officer. "Here we are again," sighed the old soldier.

—Tid Bits from London Times.

Modern Age

Mother—"I don't approve of these one-piece bathing suits."

Daughter—"Oh, I think that a person should wear something."

—Leatherneck.

"I was shot through the leg in the war."

"Have a scar?"

"No, thanks. I don't smoke."

—Pointer.

Sgt. "INR" has supplied the best closing line for the limerick which appeared in the 2 Aug. issue.

The Marines in Iceland, so news reports say,

Have gone in for gardening in a very big way.

And are giving up leaves,

To raise carrots and peas,

For Marines must eat, come what may.

For completion in the 30 Aug. issue, "ARB" has submitted a limerick which merits publication.

There was a selectee named Sam,

Who yearned to take it on the lam,

He was nabbed by a guard,

In a neighboring yard,

ASK THE JOURNAL

SEND your queries to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL QUESTION EDITOR and an answer will be given in this column as soon as possible after receipt.

W. R.—Your name can be changed simply by writing through channels to the Adjutant General stating that you wish your name changed to such and such. This is a common occurrence. Your age may be corrected the same way, if other difficulties do not arise; for instance, if you would originally not have met requirements for enlistment had your correct age been given.

R. W. F.—Soldiers retired for physical disability after 20 years' service will receive retired pay at the rate of 75 per cent of their average pay for the six months preceding retirement, plus monthly allowances of \$15.75. The government will pay five cents a mile for travel home.

P. C. S.—Reserve officers who have inactive status are not expected to be called to active duty by the War Department.

G. O. B.—The statement you refer to was made by Senator Walsh who pointed out that the commissioned officer was professionally trained (his profession being war tactics and strategy) while the warrant officer is a specialist, vocationally trained in some particular line of work. The new warrant officer legislation now passed by both Houses of Congress is expected to improve the status of warrant officers, by increasing their numbers and pay and providing for some to go into the third and fourth pay period.

In the Journal

10 Years Ago

Maj. Davenport Johnson, AC and Capt. Lotha A. Smith, AC, left Ft. Crockett, Tex., for Wright Field, Ohio, for the purpose of examining the two new attack planes which have been undergoing tests at that field.

20 Years Ago

Gen. John J. Pershing, Chief of Staff, returned to Washington this week after an inspection tour of Camps Meade, Jackson, Knox and Grant and Ft. Snelling.

30 Years Ago

Secretary of War Stimson returned to Washington on 16 August highly pleased with the result of his inspection of the Panama Canal and of the work on the wreck of the Maine.

50 Years Ago

Among the many changes incident to the reorganization of the Signal Corps is the adoption of a new uniform for officers and sergeants. Black trimmings, piped with white, took the place of the orange colored plume and other trimmings on the old uniform.

75 Years Ago

General Sheridan who is occupying New Orleans has issued an order declaring martial law "so far as may be required for the preservation of the public peace and the protection of life and property."

Maj. Croft, S. Ft. Ben. Maj. C. D. C. to Heights. Maj. C. to comm. Brig. to off. of Brig. Dept. to GEN. Col. D. 8, Thir. Col. Area, B. Col. V. Wash. Melbour. Col. H. in, Ala. Col. F. off. of C. Maj. C. to off. of MAJ. Maj. I. Calif. to Capt. J. Capt. J. Capt. J. to staff, Va. Capt. J. Ground, Command. Capt. I. Tex. 9 A. 1st Lt. Miss. to N. Y. INSR MAJ. C. Lt. Col. Fourth A. Command. Lt. Col. revoked. JUDGE MAJ. C. Lt. Col. Mass., 15 Maj. G. of C. S. Maj. W. C. 18 Aug. Maj. A. 18 Aug. MAJ. G. Col. Enr. to 20th In Lt. Col. Ga. to h. Lt. Col. agars Pal C. Lt. Col. revoked. Lt. Col. McPherson lanta, Ga. Maj. R. Upton, N. S. Y. Followi of QMG, gan, Jr. : Maj. L. Mass., to Vt. Maj. W. Mass., to Followi lyn, N. Y. Maj. Owen son, 1st I. Alfred J. 2nd Lt. V. Walter S. Lt. Willa Sweeney.

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GENERAL OFFICERS
Maj. Gen. Oscar W. Griswold, from Camp Croft, S. C., to command 4th Motorized Div., Ft. Benning, Ga.
Maj. Gen. Davenport Johnson, from Wash., D. C., to Caribbean Defense Command, Quarry Heights, C. Z.
Maj. Gen. John P. Lucas, Ft. Lewis, Wash., to command, 3rd Inf. Div., that station.
Brig. Gen. Muir S. Fairchild, Wash., D. C., to off. of C. of AC, that station.
Brig. Gen. Homer R. Oldfield, Panama Canal Dept., to duty that department.

GENERAL STAFF CORPS
GEN. GEORGE C. MARSHALL, C. of S.
Col. Dwight D. Eisenhower, designated C. of S., Third Army.
Col. James K. Cockrell, (Cav.), from Wash., D. C., to NG affairs, hq., 3rd Corps Area, Baltimore, Md.
Col. Van S. Merle-Smith, (Specialist), from Wash., D. C., 19 Aug., to military attache, Melbourne, Australia.
Col. Hampton Anderson, (FA), Ft. McClellan, Ala., to 27th Inf. Div., that station.
Col. Frederick J. deRohan, Wash., D. C., to off. of C. of S., Wash., D. C.
Maj. Charles H. Noble, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to off. of C. of S., Wash., D. C.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPT.
MAJ. GEN. E. S. ADAMS, AG
Maj. Lawton Butler, from San Francisco, Calif., to hq., 3rd Inf. Div., Ft. Lewis, Wash.
Capt. Arthur W. Field, from Ft. McArthur, Calif., 29 Aug., to off. of AG, Wash., D. C.
Capt. Joseph W. Moore, from Wash., D. C., to staff, AG School, Arlington Cantonment, Va.
Capt. James W. Hill, from Aberdeen Prov. Ground, Md., 15 Sept., to hq., Tech. Train. Command, Chanute Fld., Ill.
Capt. Lyle S. MacMaster, from San Antonio, Tex., 9 Aug., to inactive status.
1st Lt. Drury M. Nixon, from Camp Shelby, Miss., to hq., 2nd Corps Area, Governors Is., N. Y.

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPT.
MAJ. GEN. VIRGIL L. PETERSON, IG
Lt. Col. Richard W. Hocker (FA), from hq., Fourth Army, to GSC, hq., Western Defense Command, San Francisco, Calif.
Lt. Col. John L. Parkinson, prior orders revoked.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.
MAJ. GEN. ALLEN W. GULLION, JAG
Lt. Col. George B. Campbell, from Boston, Mass., 15 Aug., to 1st CA Dist., that station.
Maj. George D. Dorroh, Wash., D. C., to off. of C. of S., Wash., D. C.
Maj. William E. Skillman, from Wash., D. C., 18 Aug., to hq., First Air Force, Mitchell Fld., N. Y.
Maj. Albert E. Sheets, from Wash., D. C., 18 Aug., to inactive status.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS
MAJ. GEN. EDMUND B. GREGORY, QMG
Col. Ernest O. Thompson, Camp Bowie, Tex., to 36th Inf. Div., that station.
Lt. Col. Lawrence Slade, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to home, to await retirement.
Lt. Col. Frederick A. Muhlenberg, from Niagara Falls, N. Y., to off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.
Lt. Col. George H. Sunderman, prior orders revoked.
Lt. Col. Clarence W. Richmond, from Ft. McPherson, Ga., to hq., 4th Corps Area, Atlanta, Ga.
Maj. Raymond C. Altermatt, from Camp Upton, N. Y., to ass't const. QM, New York, N. Y.
Following off., from Baltimore, Md., to off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.: Maj. William C. Morgan, Jr.; 1st Lt. Richard R. Lovell.
Maj. Loring K. Warner, from Ft. Devens, Mass., to post utilities off., Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt.
Maj. William O. Zacharias, Ft. Devens, Mass., to const. QM, that station.
Following off., Post of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y., to ass't port QM, that station: Maj. Oscar J. Sufrin, Capt. Harold E. M. Nelson, 1st Lt. Frederick F. Drury, Jr., 2nd Lt. Alfred J. Broshek, 2nd Lt. William J. Daly, 2nd Lt. William A. Ferguson, Jr., 2nd Lt. Walter S. Panno, 2nd Lt. Walter B. Rust, 2nd Lt. William F. Sorensen, 2nd Lt. Edward P. Sweeney.

Maj. Barney L. Meeden, retired 31 Aug., rank of Lt. Col., disability incident to service.
Maj. William J. Reid, from Boston, Mass., to Elmendorf Fld., Alaska, sail Seattle, Wash.
Maj. George B. Anderson, from add. duty, Picatinny Arsenal, N. J.
Maj. Gordon R. Lyndon, Chicago, Ill., to post utilities off., QM Depot, that station.
Maj. Oliver L. Overmeyer, Philadelphia, Pa., to post utilities off., that station.
Maj. George B. Sumner, Picatinny Arsenal, N. J., to const. QM, that station.
Maj. Marvin W. Peck, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 4th CASC, Ft. Clark, Tex.
Maj. Roscoe Perkins, Jr., prior orders revoked, Chanute Fld., Ill., to post utilities officer, that station.
Maj. Harold L. Algeo, from Wash., D. C., to ass't const. QM, 6th Zone, Chicago, Ill.
Maj. Horace Speed, Jr., from Hawaiian Dept., to QM, Ft. George Wright, Wash.
Maj. Claude T. Frimann, Scott Fld., Ill., to post utilities off., that station.
Maj. John Kasper, to utility off., at QM Sch., Philadelphia, Pa., in add. to other duties.
Maj. Irvin L. Lancaster, Camp Grant, Ill., to post utilities off., that station.
Maj. Cecil L. Bower, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to const. QM, Camp Upton, N. Y.
Following captains (CAC), from Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco; Joseph L. McCarthy; Lee M. Corlies.
Capt. Paul E. Tyndall, from Wash., D. C., to Air Depot, Middletown, Pa.
Capt. Harold T. Burnham, New York, N. Y., to ass't const. QM, N. Y. and vicinity.
Capt. Newton C. Chaney, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco.
Capt. Stephen D. Cochen, from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to 4th CASC, Camp Polk, La.
Capt. Ralph H. Major, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to const. QM, that station.
Following captains Ft. Hancock, N. J., to duty indicated; that station: Thomas F. Burke, post utilities off.; Gunnar D. Freden, ass't post utilities off.
Capt. Frank A. Tebo, from Camp Lee, Va., to ass't const. QM, 3rd Zone, Baltimore, Md.
Capt. Edson A. Edson, from Wash., D. C., 15 Aug., to ass't const. QM, 6th Zone, Chicago, Ill.
Capt. Albert W. Bruce, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., to ass't const. QM, 9th Zone, that station.
Capt. Paul W. Sadler, from Atlanta, Ga., to ass't const. QM, New Orleans, La.
Capt. Melville N. Shroves, from Jeffersonville, Ind., to Off. QMG, Wash., D. C.
Capt. Glen W. Trindal, from Boston, Mass., to ass't const. QM, Panama Canal Dept., sail New York 23 Sept.
1st Lt. Lawrence J. Kelly, from Ft. Custer, Mich., 4 Sept., to AC, Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.
1st Lt. Phil C. Hart, from Savanna Prov. Ground, Ill., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York.
1st Lt. Clarence Buehner, from Ft. Ord, Calif., to ass't const. QM, Ogden, Utah.
1st Lt. Fulton A. Grosse, from New York, N. Y., to post utilities officer, Camp Upton, N. Y.
1st Lt. Frank A. Puglia, Camp Upton, N. Y., to ass't post utilities off., that station.
1st Lt. Ralph C. Brown, Niagara Falls, N. Y., to const. QM, that station.
1st Lt. Donald B. Williams, from New York, N. Y., to ass't const. QM, Plant, Niagara Falls, N. Y.
1st Lt. Daniel E. McDonald, from Atlanta, Ga., to ass't const. QM, Triangular Div. Camp, Augusta, Ga.
1st Lt. Alfred R. Matthews, prior orders revoked.
1st Lt. John A. Potentier, from Wash., D. C., to station complement, Army Air Base, Tucson, Ariz.
Following off., from Philadelphia, Pa., to off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.: 1st Lt. Levi J. Ball; 1st Lt. Solon D. Smart; 2nd Lt. Alan L. Freedman; 2nd Lt. Herbert Hoffheimer, Jr.
1st Lt. Robert K. Sawyer, from Chicago, Ill., to const. QM, Camp McCoy, Wis.
1st Lt. Reginald J. Horseman, from Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y., to ass't const. QM, Harbor Defenses of Narragansett Bay and New Bedford, Ft. Adams, R. I.
1st Lt. Francis R. Inskip, from Chicago, Ill., to ass't post utilities off., Chanute Fld., Ill.
1st Lt. Robert M. Lingo, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to ass't const. QM, Louisiana Ord. Works, Minden, La.
1st Lt. Jefferson P. Steinwinder, Jr., from Atlanta, Ga., to ass't const. QM, Volunteer Ord. Works, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Following off., Ft. Totten, N. Y., to duties indicated, that station: 1st Lt. Charles F. McQuiston, post utilities off.; 2nd Lt. Harold H. Goodman, ass't post utilities off.
Following off., Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y., to duties specified, that station: 1st Lt. Albert Abraham, Jr., post utilities off.; 2nd Lt. John P. McGarry, ass't post utilities off.
1st Lt. Charles U. Prout, from Chicago, Ill.,

NO NAVY, MARINE CORPS, OR COAST GUARD ORDERS

Publication of orders issued to Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard personnel has been ordered suspended to avoid possible revelation of information against the public interest.

to ass't to const. QM, Elwood Ord. Plant, Joliet, Ill.
1st Lt. Herman J. Meury, from 2nd CASC, Ft. Tilden, N. Y., to post utilities off., that station.
1st Lt. Lee D. Moody, from 2nd CASC, Madison Bks., N. Y., to post utilities off., that station.
1st Lt. Joseph F. Sally, from New York, N. Y., to ass't const. QM, Schenectady, N. Y.
2nd Lt. Ward H. Nessen, Wash., D. C., to ass't to CO, QM Depot, that station.
2nd Lt. Henry C. Busek, from New York, N. Y., to ass't const. QM, Ft. DuPont, Del.
2nd Lt. William T. Warren, Jr., from New York, N. Y., to ass't const. qm., Schenectady, N. Y.
2nd Lt. Arley A. Hayman, Jr., from Wash., D. C., to ass't to const. qm., Paris, Tenn.
2nd Lt. Raymond A. Simpson, from New York, N. Y., to ass't to const. QM, Plattsburg Bks., New York.
Following 2nd Lt.'s from Jeffersonville, Ind., date indicated, to ass't QM, AC Tech. Sch., Biloxi, Miss.: William H. Oliver, 15 Oct.; Stanton T. Smith, 15 Sept.
2nd Lt. George M. Burgett, Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., to ass't post utilities off., that station.
Following 2nd Lt.'s from Jeffersonville QM Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind., to ass't QM, AC Tech. Sch., Biloxi, Miss.: Dalvin E. Goodwin; Charles R. Hand.
2nd Lt. Jack Witkowsky, from Omaha, Neb., to ass't Const. QM, 6th Zone, Chicago, Ill.
2nd Lt. Wilton D. Thomas, from Panama Canal Dept., to ass't QM, Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.
Following 2nd Lt.'s, Philadelphia, Pa., to post utilities off., that station: David T. Anderson; Howard O. McGillin; Morton C. Meyers.
2nd Lt. Logan W. Mulford, Jr., Ft. Hancock, N. J., to ass't const. QM, that station.
2nd Lt. Lee E. Munell, prior orders amended, from Camp Normoy, Tex.
2nd Lt. David Halmot, from Ft. Ord, Calif., to ass't const. QM, Santa Maria-Lompoc Project, Calif.
2nd Lt. Hatcher R. Gibson, from Baltimore, Md., to ass't const. QM, Wash., D. C.
2nd Lt. Austin H. Ross, Boston, Mass., to const. QM, Harbor Defenses of Boston, that station.
2nd Lt. Robert T. Keowen, Jersey City, N. J., to post utilities off., that station.
2nd Lt. Robert M. Raab, Baltimore, Md., to ass't const. QM, Third Zone, that station.
2nd Lt. Arthur E. Weinberg, N. Y. Med. Depot, Brooklyn, N. Y., to post utilities off., that station.
2nd Lt. Lelwyn C. Breen, from San Francisco, Calif., to ass't const. QM, Corvallis project, Albany, Ore.
2nd Lt. Roland P. Campbell, from Columbus, O., to ass't const. QM, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.
2nd Lt. John H. Brannan, from Columbus, O., to ass't const. QM, Gen. Hosp., Danville, Ky.
2nd Lt. Jack H. Springer, from Wash., D. C., to 3rd CASC, Rep. Train. Cen., Camp Lee, Va.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT


MAJ. GEN. JAMES C. MAGEE, SG
Medical Corps
Col. Edgar E. Hume, prior orders revoked.
Col. Charles W. Riley, Ft. Bliss, Tex., 20 Aug., to 1st CASC, Camp Edwards, Mass.
Col. John Dibble, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 15 Sept., to hq., VIII Army Corps,

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Col. Harvard C. Moore, from Brownwood, Tex., 15 Sept., to 9th CASC, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.
1st Lt. Charles L. Maxwell, from Mitchell Fld., N. Y., 15 Aug., to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.
1st Lt. Lucius K. Patterson, from Ft. Riley, Kan., to 1st Cav. Div., Ft. Bliss, Tex.
1st Lt. William C. Munly, from Wash., D. C., 15 Sept., to hq., 8th Corps Area, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
1st Lt. Rufus L. Holt, from Philippine Dept., to Letterman Gen. Hosp., Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.
1st Lt. Charles A. Pfeffer, from Ft. Monroe, Va., 1 Sept., to 3rd CASC, Camp Lee, Va.
Following off., from station indicated, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York, N. Y.: Maj. Meyer Corff, Ft. Story, Va.; Capt. Stephen G. Chasko, Ft. Tilden, N. Y.; Capt. Fielding J. Crigler, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; Capt. Paul S. Hill, Ft. Eustis, Va.; 1st Lt. Alfred W. Dounst, Pine Camp, N. Y.; 1st Lt. John R. Gannon, Ft. Hancock, N. J.; 1st Lt. Anthony M. Giordano, Indianatown Gap, Pa.; 1st Lt. Emil Gribovsky, Indianatown Gap, Pa.; 1st Lt. Carl C. Hoffman, Indianatown Gap, Pa.; 1st Lt. Charles A. Hulse, Ft. Thomas, Ky.
Maj. John A. Schindler, from Selfridge Fld., Mich., 10 Sept., to station comp., Chanute Fld., Ill.
Maj. Thomas J. Hartford, from off. SG, Wash., D. C., to GHQ, Army War College, that station.
Maj. Erwin I. Alper, from Long Island, N. Y., 30 Aug., to Middletown Air Depot, Olmsted Fld., Pa.
Maj. Jacob J. Spenser, from MacDill Fld., Fla., 25 Aug., to AC Tech. Sch., "A," Biloxi, Miss.
Maj. Charles McC. Downs, from Panama Canal, C. Z., to 2nd Cav. Div., Ft. Riley, Kan.
Maj. Robert E. Lee, prior orders amended, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.
Maj. David S. Greenberg, Ft. McClellan, Ala., 25 Aug., to Lawson Gen. Hosp., Atlanta, Ga.
Maj. Harry F. Wilson, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 25 Aug., to off. of C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.
Maj. Cleveland R. Stewart, from Denver, Col., 25 Aug., to Station Complement, Mather (Continued on Next Page)

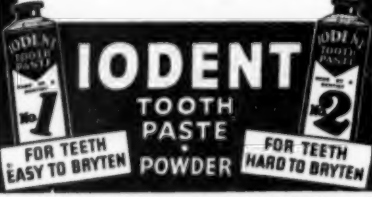
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Fld., Calif.

Capt. Frank E. Engelman, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., 25 Aug., to station complement, Air Base, New Orleans, La.

Capt. Harry M. Boyarsky, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to inactive status.

Following off., from Army Medical Center,

Wash., D. C., to station indicated: Capt. John D. Blair, 21 Aug., to Ft. Bliss, Tex.; 1st Lt. Walter W. Schwartz, 20 Aug., to Camp Barkerley, Tex.; 1st Lt. Eugene H. Silverstone, 19 Aug., to Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Capt. William A. Moore, from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., 1 Sept., to hq., 7th Corps Area, Omaha, Neb.

Capt. Dickinson S. Pepper, from Indiantown Gap, Pa., 1 Sept., to Army Med. Cen., Wash.,

D. C.

Capt. Warren S. Riley, from Pine Camp, N. Y., 25 Aug., to 3rd, CASC, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Following off., from station indicated, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 30 Aug., Charleston, S. C.: Capt. Samuel S. Jacob III, Ft. McClellan, Ala.; 1st Lt. Herbert S. Friedman, Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. Louis H. Goldman, Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. Sol Heinemann, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; 1st Lt. Edward F. Heliwig, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; 1st Lt. George F. Hilles, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; 1st Lt. Louis J. Kane, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 1st Lt. Sidney Katz, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Following off., from station indicated, to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco: Capt. Ralph DeCicco, Camp Callen, Calif.; Capt. John F. Emmerring, Indiantown Gap Military Reservation, Pa.; 1st Lt. Frank H. DeGrace, Camp Claiborne, La.; 1st Lt. Carl Penef, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 1st Lt. Frederick C. Detroit, Ft. Jay, N. Y.; 1st Lt. Nathan S. Deutsch, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; 1st Lt. John T. Dimun, Jr., Camp Croft, S. C.; 1st Lt. John A. Dole, Jr., Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.; 1st Lt. Sidney M. Falk, Ft. Ord, Calif.; 1st Lt. Harry Farber, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 1st Lt. Maynard M. Farhat, Camp Davis, N. C.; 1st Lt. John Finegold, Camp Croft, S. C.; 1st Lt. Milton M. Finkel, Camp Shelby, Miss.; 1st Lt. Louis J. Finkelmeier, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; 1st Lt. Hamilton D. Fitzpatrick, Camp Pendleton, Va.; 1st Lt. Joseph D. Goldberg, Ft. Moultrie, S. C.

Capt. Henry T. Holt, from Ft. Custer, Mich., 16 Aug., to inactive status.

Following off., from station indicated, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 30 Aug., Charleston, S. C.: Capt. Joseph A. Mobilio, Camp Davis, N. C.; 1st Lt. Angelo Mascali, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; 1st Lt. Keith J. L. Rugh, Camp Davis, N. C.; 1st Lt. Charles E. Sax, Camp Blanding, Fla.; 1st Lt. Francis F. Silver, Camp Blanding, Fla.

Following 1st Lt.'s, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York: William Chesler, Joseph E. Sehenthal.

Following 1st Lt.'s, from station indicated, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 26 Aug.: Frank T. Rifornato, Camp Shelby, Miss.

Following 1st Lt.'s, from Brooklyn, N. Y., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York: Raphael R. Charters; Thomas J. Cock-erill.

1st Lt. Edgar H. Underwood, Jr., Panama Canal Dept., to off. of Governor, the Panama Canal.

1st Lt. David D. Colucci, from Plattsburg Bks., New York, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. William McF. Thornburg, from Sel-ridge Fld., Mich., 30 Aug., to station complement, Scott Fld., Ill.

1st Lt. Milton Tinsley, from Camp Wolters, Tex., 25 Aug., to Letterman Gen. Hosp., Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

1st Lt. Adolph J. Kafka, from Ft. Sill, Okla., 15 Aug., to Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Col.

1st Lt. Harold M. Brown, from Wash., D. C., 1 Sept., to Medical Sec., General Depot, Seattle, Wash.

1st Lt. Lamoyne C. Bleich, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco.

1st Lt. Paul J. Kaminski, from Wash., D. C., 17 Aug., to station hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. Vincent E. Lascara, from Camp Shelby, Miss., 25 Aug., to inactive status.

1st Lt. Walter P. Diaz, from Camp Shelby, Miss., 15 Aug., to LaGarde Gen. Hosp., New Orleans, La.

1st Lt. George E. Howe, from West Palm Beach, Fla., 25 Aug., to station complement, Army Air Base, Morrison Fld., West Palm Beach, Fla.

1st Lt. William J. Foley, from Camp Mur-ray, Wash., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 28 Aug., New York.

1st Lt. William G. Schmitz, prior orders amended, from Camp Seely, Calif., to 1st Med. Reg., Ft. Ord, Calif.

1st Lt. Joseph T. Noe, prior orders amended, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 23 Aug., New York.

1st Lt. Paul V. Colvin, from Kelly Fld., Tex., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 23 Aug., New York.

Following 1st Lt.'s from station indicated, to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 23 Aug., New York: Charles F. Egolf, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; William F. Dreyer, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; John M. Dyson, Ft. Story, Va.

Following 1st Lt.'s from station indicated, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 26 Aug., New Orleans, La.: Ronney M. Day, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.; Raymond G. Dornberger, Ryan School of Aeronautics, San Diego, Calif.; Arthur M. Greene, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Caldwell K. Hamilton, Ft. Crook, Neb.; Alan

L. Hays, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; Nathaniel C. House, Miss. State Hq. of Selective Service, Jackson, Miss.; John R. Hubert, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. Alex R. Kelly, Jr., from Camp Davis, N. C., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco, Calif.

1st Lt. Alfred S. Doonief, prior orders re-voled.

1st Lt. Wilbur E. Johnson, from Ft. Benning, Ga., 25 Aug., to 4th CASC, Camp Blanding, Fla.

1st Lt. Eugene Spierer, Pine Camp, N. Y., to 2nd CASC, that station.

Following contract surgeons to station indicated: Ernest P. Buckley, 25 July, to QM Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.; William W. Copp-ledge, 28 July, Municipal Airport, Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. Udell M. Gessel, from Lowry Fld., Col., 15 Aug., to Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Den-ver, Col.

1st Lt. Marion E. Kopfer, prior orders re-voled.

1st Lt. David E. Thomas, from Ft. Knox, Ky., 5 Sept., to Provisional Parachute Group, Ft. Benning, Ga.

1st Lt. Cyril Solomon, from Edgewood Ar-senal, Md., 20 Aug., to Stark Gen. Hosp., Charleston, S. C.

1st Lt. Joseph F. McDonough, from Moffet Fld., Calif., to AC Adv. Fly. Sch., Mather Fld., Calif.

1st Lt. Raphael W. Albi, from Camp Wheel-er, Ga., to North Atlantic Div., U. S. Engrs., Stephenville, Newfoundland, sail 23 Aug., New York.

1st Lt. Joseph Silverstein, from Chanute Fld., Ill., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 28 Aug., New York.

Dental Corps

Col. Brantley L. Newsom, from West Point, N. Y., 15 Sept., to 4th CASC, Camp Grant, Ill.

Maj. Grant A. Selby, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., 20 Aug., to General Dispensary, USA, Wash., D. C.

Maj. James M. Epperly, from Wash., D. C., 15 Sept., to US Military Academy, West Point, N. Y.

1st Lt. John W. Helton, from Ft. D. A. Rus-sell, Tex., 1 Sept., to 8th CASC, Ft. Sam Hous-ton, Tex.

1st Lt. Casey Childs, from Ft. Sam Hous-ton, Tex., 1 Sept., to 8th CASC, Ft. D. A. Russell, Tex.

1st Lt. William B. Avery, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 30 Aug., Charleston, S. C.

1st Lt. Henry A. Alves, Jr., from Ft. Adama, R. I., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Albert R. Buckelew, prior orders re-voled.

1st Lt. William V. MacDermott, prior orders revoked, from Brooklyn, N. Y., to station complement, Army Air Base, Bangor, Me.

1st Lt. Robert J. McLaren, from Ft. Enstis, Va., 5 Sept., to 8th Station Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.

Veterinary Corps

Maj. Norman J. Pyle, from Ft. Sam Hous-ton, Tex., 1 Sept., to Army Med. Cen., Wash., D. C.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. HOWARD K. LOUGHRY, C. of F.

Col. Emmett R. Harris, retired, 31 Oct., age 64 yrs.

Maj. Claud T. Gunn, from Puerto Rican Dept., to hq., 2nd Corps Area, Governors Is-land, N. Y.

Maj. George F. Will, from Panama Canal Dept., to Ft. Dix, N. J.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

MAJ. GEN. JULIAN L. SCHLEY, C. of E. Col. Milo P. Fox, to asst. to Pres., Missis-sippi River Commission, Vicksburg, Miss., in add. to other duties.

Lt. Col. Tattall D. Simkins, from Jack-sonville, Fla., 20 Aug., to Engr. Rep. Train. Cen., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Maj. Frederic A. Henney, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 15th Engr. Bn., that station.

Maj. Heath Twichell, prior orders amended, from State College, Pa., 15 Aug., to 33d Engrs., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Maj. Charles W. Stewart, Jr., from Ft. Bel-voir, Va., to off. of C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Alvin G. Viney, from Providence, R. I., to asst. dist. engr., Engr. Dist., Jackso-nville, Fla.

Capt. Merle W. Barron, from Camp Barke-ley, Tex., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco.

Capt. James H. Courtney, New Orleans, La., 11 Aug., to asst. air force engr., Air Base, that station.

Capt. Thomas G. Miller, Pittsburgh, Pa., to executive off., Engr. Procurement Dist., that station.

1st Lt. Robert W. Barbee, Jr., from MacDill Fld., Fla., to Engr. Dist., Mobile, Ala.

1st Lt. Charles U. Prout, from Chicago, Ill., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 6 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. William Spierer, from Ft. Devens, Mass., to 84th Engr. Bn., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

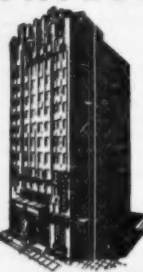
1st Lt. Louis L. Snedden, from Camp Bowie, Tex., to 410th Engr. Bn., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

2nd Lt. John C. H. Lee, Jr., prior orders amended, from Ft. Mason, Calif., to Seward.

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2nd Lt. Ailed L. Danielson, from Ft. Hayes, O., to 28th Engrs., Yakutat, Alaska, sail Seattle, Wash.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. CHARLES M. WESSON, C. of O.
Lt. Col. William R. Gerhardt, from Ft. Monroe, Va., 11 Aug., to off. of C. of O., Wash., D. C.
Lt. Col. Cleveland H. Bandholtz, from Meriden, N. J., 26 Aug., to off. of C. of O., Wash., D. C.
Maj. Marcus G. Gallimore, from Wash., D. C., 8 Aug., to Ord. Plant, Ravenna, O.
Maj. Hayward K. Kelley, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Ord. Dist., Philadelphia, Pa.
Maj. Charles R. Pinkerton, prior orders further amended; 15 Nov.
Maj. John E. Pitts, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Hq. and Hq. Det., 7th Ord. Bn., Birmingham, Ala.
Following off. from station indicated, 15 Aug., to station specified: Maj. John L. Riddle, from St. Louis, Mo., to Twin Cities Ord. Plant, Minneapolis, Minn.; 1st Lt. Francis E. Doyle, from Wash., D. C., to Lake City Ord. Plant, Independence, Mo.; 1st Lt. Charles D. Thibault, from Wash., D. C., to Lone Star Ord. Plant, Texas, Tex.

Capt. James H. Clippard, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Hq., 1 Army Corps, Columbia, S. C.
Capt. Paul W. Shumate, from Frankford Arsenal, Pa., 1 Aug., to CA Board, Ft. Monroe, Va.

Capt. Parker S. Day, prior orders amended, from Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to Jacksonville, Fla.
1st Lt. James F. Carmody, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., 15 Aug., to inactive status.

1st Lt. Charles T. Everett, from Chicago, Ill., 12 Aug., to field off., Waterloo, Iowa.
1st Lt. John H. Matkin, from Baytown, Tex., to off. of C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Following 2nd Lts. from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to station indicated: Zachary P. Abuza, Ord. Dist., Boston, Mass.; Edward A. Beaupre, Ord. Dist., Boston, Mass.; Robert I. Felch, Ord. Dist., Philadelphia, Pa.

2nd Lt. Robert J. Connell, from Benicia, Calif., to Iowa Ord. Plant, Burlington, Iowa.
2nd Lt. John S. Pedgonay, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Jefferson Prov. Ground, Madison, Ind.

2nd Lt. George F. Switzer, from Savanna Proving Ground, Ill., to Elmendorf Fld., Alaska, sail Seattle, Wash.

2nd Lt. Joseph J. Laurin, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 29 Aug., New York.

2nd Lt. Joseph F. Libsch, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Armory, Springfield, Mass.

2nd Lt. Jacque E. Van Gieson, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to Dixie Ord. Works, Sterling, La.

Following 2nd Lts. prior orders revoked: Edward H. Ham, Elmer F. Spicer.

Following 2nd Lts. from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to stations indicated: Charles E. Boak, Hartford Ord. Dist., Springfield, Mass.; Walter J. Kryeski, Ord. Dist., Boston, Mass.

SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. JOSEPH O. MAUBORGNE, CSO

Maj. Gen. Joseph O. Mauborgne, retired, at own application, 30 Sept. 1941.

Following off., from station indicated, to off. of CSO, Wash., D. C.: Col. Roger B. Colton, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; Col. Otis K. Sadler, Wilmington, Del.; Lt. Col. James A. Codes, Jr., Brownwood, Tex.

Col. Charles N. Sawyer, from Camp Blanding, Fla., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 6 Sept., New York.

Lt. Col. Will V. Parker, from Camp Bowie, Tex., to Hq., VIII Army Corps, Brownwood, Tex.

Lt. Col. Louis S. Stickney, from Baltimore, Md., to Hq., II Army Corps, Wilmington, Del.

Lt. Col. Bertram J. Sherry, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Signal Overseas Storage Sec., N. Y. Gen. Depot, that station.

Maj. Chester A. Marr, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to U. of Ill., Champaign, Ill.

Maj. Rex Van D. Corput, Jr., Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to director, SC Lab., that station.

Capt. Howard M. Lamb, from Claiborne, La., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 30 Aug., Charleston, S. C.

Capt. Russell E. Nicholls, from Camp Claiborne, La., to 27th Signal Const. Bn., Camp Bowie, Tex.

Capt. Robert F. Frost, from Philippine Dept., to Hq., 9th Corps Area, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

1st Lt. Lloyd D. Colvin, to Liaison off., Alaska Defense Command, Ft. Richardson, Alaska, in add. to other duties.

Following 1st Lts. from Camp Bowie, Tex., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco: John M. Goodwin, William E. Heron, Jr.

1st Lt. Harry D. Williams, from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to off. of C. of S., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Theodore M. Manley, from Ft. Benning, Ga., to SC Aircraft Radio Lab., Wright Fld., O.

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM N. PORTER, C. of CWS

Col. Edward C. Wallington, from add. duty as member of CW Board, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Lt. Col. Hubert B. Bramlet, from CW Depot, to Arsenal, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Lt. Col. John L. Bartlett, from Beaumont, Tex., 15 Aug., to CW Sch., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Lt. Col. Albert W. Paine, from Charleston, W. Va., to Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Maj. Raymond T. Beurket, to CW Board, Edgewood Arsenal, Md., in add. to other duties.

Maj. John R. Burns, from Philippine Dept., to off. of C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Frederick Cornell, from Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to Huntsville Arsenal, Md.

Following 2nd Lts., Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to that station: Bert D. Coeco, Robert Morris, Ervin G. Priehtet, William E. Schmertz, Samuel Schwartz, Stephen E. Ulrich.

2nd Lt. Robert H. Hahn, from CW Depot, to Arsenal, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

2nd Lt. Keith E. Nelson, from Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to off. of C. of CWS, Wash., D. C.

NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU

MAJ. GEN. JOHN F. WILLIAMS, C. of NGB

Col. Walter P. Davenport, from Wash., D. C., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 6 Sept., Brooklyn, N. Y.

CHAPLAIN CORPS

CH. WILLIAM R. ARNOLD, C. of CH.

Ch. (Lt. Col.) Ivan L. Bennett, from Ft. Myer, Va., to Hq., VI Army Corps, Providence, R. I.

Ch. (Lt. Col.) Ralph C. Delbert, from Providence, R. I., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Ch. (Maj.) Patrick J. Ryan, from Hawaiian Dept., to 3rd Inf. Div., Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Ch. (Maj.) William T. Brundick, from Ft. McClellan, Ala., to 2nd CASC, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Ch. (Maj.) Frederick D. Buttenbaum, from Ft. Dix, N. J., to 4th CASC, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Ch. (Capt.) John J. Dugan, from Ft. Riley, Kan., to Philippine Dept., sail 18 Sept., San Francisco.

Ch. (Capt.) Terence P. Finnegan, from Ft. Ord, Calif., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 25 Sept., San Francisco.

Ch. (Capt.) John C. W. Linsley, from Ft. Eustis, Va., to Ft. Myer, Va.

Following Chs., Mitchell Fld., N. Y., to organization indicated, that station: (Capt.)

Paul J. Giegerich, 91st Air Base Group; (1st Lt.) Herbert E. Rieke, 33d Pursuit Group.

Ch. (Capt.) Carlton W. Harrod, prior orders amended, to 45th Air Base Group, Hamilton Fld., Calif.

Ch. (Capt.) Alvie L. McKnight, from Hamilton Fld., Calif., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Francis P. Borowski, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to QM Rep. Train. Cen., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

Ch. (1st Lt.) James H. Bagley, Ft. Monroe, Va., to Ft. Eustis, Va.

Ch. (1st Lt.) James H. Blackwood, from Ft. George G. Meade, to Chanute Fld., Ill.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Albin L. Fortney, prior orders amended, to Hawaiian Dept., sail 25 Sept., San Francisco.

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. JOHN K. HERR, C. of CAV.

Col. Herman Kobbe, to Harvard Sch., North Hollywood, Calif., in add. to other duties.

Lt. Col. Charles S. Kilburn, from Wash., D. C., to 1st Cav. Div., Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Maj. Robert M. Wold, from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., 19 Aug., to off. of IG, Wash., D. C.

Following off. from station indicated, to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco: Capt. Horace H. Locke, Ft. Sill, Okla.; 1st Lt. James M. Lattig, Camp Bowie, Tex.; 1st Lt. Edward N. Moore, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Capt. Russell V. Ritchey, prior orders further amended, to Philippine Dept., sail 18 Sept., San Francisco.

Capt. Edward B. Murphy, Ft. Riley, Kan., 11 Aug., to 17th QM Sq., that station.

1st Lt. Harold T. Bishop, from Indiantown Gap, Pa., to 3rd CASC, A. P. Hill Military Reservation, Pa.

2nd Lt. William T. Gordon, Ft. Riley, Kan., to 2nd Cav. Div., that station.

FIELD ARTILLERY

MAJ. GEN. ROBERT M. DANFORD, C. of FA

Col. John D. von Holtendorff, from New York, N. Y., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 6 Sept., New York.

Col. Claude K. Rhinehart, from Milwaukee, Wis., 13 Sept., to recruiting, Dallas, Tex.

Lt. Col. Jesse Leonard Larson, name changed to Jess Larson.

Lt. Col. Paul A. Reichle, from Ft. Ord, Calif., 1 Sept., to FA Board, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Following off., Ft. Sill, Okla., 20 Aug., to FA Rep. Train. Cen., that station: Maj. Raymond A. Wilkins, Capt. Leland L. Currier, 1st Lt. Allan S. Hirsch.

Following Majs., from station indicated, 1 (Continued on Next Page)



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Sept., to FA Rep. Train. Cen., station indicated: John B. Horton, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Camp Roberts, Calif.; Cecil W. Land, from Camp Livingston, La., to Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Duncan S. Somerville, from Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Camp Roberts, Calif.; Willis W. Wheelchel, from Ft. Ord, Calif., to Camp Roberts, Calif.; James H. Workman, from Camp Livingston, La., to Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Following Maj. J. S. Hill, Okla., to FA Rep. Tr. Center, that station: Garrison B. Coverdale, Clayton H. Studebaker.

Capt. Ernest E. Leavitt, from Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., 8 Sept., to 7th FA Obs. Bn., Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Capt. Howard S. Gould, from Camp Claiborne, La., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 30 Aug., Charleston, S. C.

Capt. Charles L. Heitman, jr., from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th FA Obs. Bn., that station.

Capt. Edwin C. Knake, from Pine Camp, N. Y., to faculty, FA Sch., Ft. Sill, Okla.

Capt. James M. Worthington, Ft. Knox, Ky., to Armored Force Sch., that station.

Capt. Irwin W. Gamelgard, from Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco.

Following off, from station indicated, 8 Sept., to 7th FA Obs. Bn., Ft. Bragg, N. C.: Capt. Thomas R. Putnam, Camp Livingston, La.; 1st Lt. Harry B. Rahner, Ft. Jackson, S. C.

Following off, Camp Roberts, Calif., to FA Rep. Train. Cen., that station: Capt. Alan J. Fletcher; 1st Lt. Conrad Ahrens, Vincent T. Bergschneider, Henry E. Brodersen, Carl H. Christensen, Thomas W. Darnall, Roy J. Fairclough, Maurice N. Glezentanner, Anthony P. Niccoli, Marcus Peterson, Walter Price, Clarence F. Roberts, jr.; George V. Russell; 2nd Lt. Leland J. Deverman, Edward C. Gross, Orville H. Hampton, Abraham L. Herma, Robert F. Lemke, Roy M. Schuette.

1st Lt. Charles W. Anderson, from Camp Livingston, La., to Puerto Rican Dept., sail 6 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. George G. Otis, Camp Livingston, La., 8 Aug., to AGD, that station.

1st Lt. William G. Wells, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., 8 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Fourth Zone, Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. Edward P. Arnold, from Ft. Sill, Okla., 8 Aug., to 30th Engr. Bn., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Following 1st Lts., from Ft. Jay, N. Y., to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York: Whitney Hartshorne, Paul G. Krotts, John D. Macomb, jr., Walter H. Smith.

1st Lt. Ernest F. Randall, jr., from Ft. Bragg, N. C., 16 Aug., to inactive status.

1st Lt. Douglas H. Lane, from Camp Wallace, Tex., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco.

2nd Lt. William A. McFadden, from Panama Canal Dept., 24 July, hq., 2nd Corps Area, Governors Is., N. Y.

2nd Lt. Frederick G. Reinke, from Camp Shelby, Miss., 12 Aug., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

Following 2nd Lts., Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th FA Observation Bn., that station: George C. Fanning, jr., Walter T. Morey.

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Lt. Col. Charles J. Herzer, from Ft. Rodman, Mass., 21 Sept., to IGD, Panama Canal Dept., sail 23 Sept., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lt. Col. James P. Jacobs, prior orders amended, to CA Rep. Train. Cen., Camp Wallace, Tex.

Lt. Col. Kenyon P. Flagg, from Buffalo, N. Y., to AA Train. Cen., Camp Stewart, Ga.

Lt. Col. Geoffrey M. O'Connell, from Ft. Eustis, Va., 12 Sept., to AA Train. Cen., Camp Stewart, Ga.

Lt. Col. LeRoy Lutes, San Antonio, Tex., 12 Sept., to GSC, hq., Third Army, that station.

Lt. Col. Victor R. Woodruff, from Ft. Rosecrans, Calif., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 25 Sept., San Francisco.

Lt. Col. Rexford Shores, prior orders amended, from Ft. Rosecrans, Calif., to Harbor Defenses of San Francisco, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.

Maj. Ernest B. Thomson, prior orders amended, to 71st CA, Ft. Story, Va.

Maj. William B. Hawthorne, Ft. Monroe, Va., to instructor, CA Sch., that station.

Maj. John C. Smith, prior orders revoked.

Maj. Armand Hopkins, from West Point, N. Y., to Philippine Dept., sail 18 Sept., San Francisco, Calif.

Maj. Orley D. Bowman, prior orders amended, to Harbor Defenses of New Bedford, Ft. Rodman, Mass.

Capt. Harold S. Lewis, from Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco.

Capt. Milton L. Ogden, from Camp Davis, N. C., to CA Board, Ft. Monroe, Va.

Capt. Harrison F. Turner, prior orders amended, to Harbor Defenses of Sandy Hook, Ft. Hamilton, N. J.

Capt. Philip N. Gallagher, prior orders amended, to Hawaiian Dept., sail 19 Aug., San Francisco.

Capt. Harrison F. Turner, prior orders amended, to Harbor Defenses of Sandy Hook, Ft. Hancock, N. J.

Following off, from station indicated, to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco: Capt. Harcourt G. Bull, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.; Capt. Neville L. Grow, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.; Capt. Arthur E. Huff, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.; Capt. William H. Owen, jr., Ft. Rosecrans, Calif.; Capt. Warren A. Starr, Ft. Stevens, Ore.; Capt. George E. Steiger, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.; Capt. Frank G. Tandy, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.; Capt. Robert J. White, Ft. Rosecrans, Calif.; 1st Lt. Robert P. Alkman, Ft. Worden, Wash.; 1st Lt. Don B. Fullmer, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.; 1st Lt. William E. Holton, Ft. Stevens, Ore.; 1st Lt. Leslie W. King, Ft. Worden, Wash.; 1st Lt. George M. Moore, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.; 1st Lt. Fred E. Rose, Ft. Rosecrans, Calif.; 1st Lt. George A. Senze, Ft. Rosecrans, Calif.; 1st Lt. William W. Stecker, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.; 1st Lt. James C. Traw, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.; 1st Lt. Darwin E. Wiser, Ft. Stevens, Ore.; 2nd Lt. Arthur H. Buckman, Ft. Worden, Wash.; 2nd Lt. Robert W. Hey, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Welles G. Hodgson, jr., Ft. Worden, Wash.; 2nd Lt. Ray G. Lawrence, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.; 2nd Lt. Thomas Marvick, jr., Ft. Stevens, Ore.; 2nd Lt. Bert E. Pettitt, jr., Ft. Stevens, Ore.

1st Lt. Richard I. Curtin, from Panama Canal Dept., to 34th CA Brigade, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Following off, from Camp Haan, Calif., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco: 1st Lt. Terence F. Aston, 1st Lt. Philip H. Farley, 1st Lt. Thomas H. Fortney, 1st Lt. Tony B. Lloyd, 1st Lt. Alvin O. Oyen, 1st Lt. Woodrow P. Wilson, 2nd Lt. Maurice H. Cohen, 2nd Lt. Richard P. Fulmer, 2nd Lt. Dean R. Keating, 2nd Lt. Jack E. Post, 2nd Lt. Francis G. Smith.

1st Lt. William C. Childress, from Ft. Constitution, N. H., 25 Aug., to Barrage Balloon Train. Cen., Camp Davis, N. C.

1st Lt. James L. Ingles, jr., Camp Davis, N. C., to Barrage Balloon, Train. Cen., that station.

1st Lt. John R. Friberg, from Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., 8 Aug., to SC Liaison Off., Research Council, Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, Hollywood, Calif.

1st Lt. Russell R. Carl, from Puerto Rican Dept., to hq., 2nd Corps Area, Governors Is., N. Y.

1st Lt. Joe Edelman, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. George G. Maxfield, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco.

1st Lt. Bert L. Beal, jr., prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. Albert E. Durlie, jr., from Camp Wallace, Tex., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco.

2nd Lt. Willard R. Gilbert, from Ft. Barancas, Fla., to Spartan Sch. of Aeronautics, Tulsa, Okla.

Following 2nd Lts., from station indicated, to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco: Eugene J. Bauer, Camp Wallace, Tex.; Dennis E. Murphy, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

2nd Lt. James A. Nelson, from Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco.

2nd Lt. Theodore W. Panneck, Camp Haan, Calif., to 216th CA, that station.

2nd Lt. Benjamin W. Dickerson, jr., from New York, N. Y., to 62d CA, Ft. Totten, N. Y.

INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. COURTNEY H. HODGES, C. of Inf.

Col. Laurence W. Young, retired, 31 Aug., age 64 yrs.

Col. Eley P. Denson, to command Camp Shelby, Miss.

Col. William B. Graham, from Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif., 1 Sept., to Org. Res., 9th Corps Area, Los Angeles, Calif.

Col. Charles H. Lantz, retired at own application, 31 Dec., 31 yrs.' service.

Col. Fred V. S. Chamberlain, 10 Sept., to Xavier High Sch., New York, N. Y., in add. to other duties.

Lt. Col. Dallas R. Alfante, Ft. Dix, N. J., to GSC, 44th Inf. Div., that station.

Lt. Col. Donovan P. Yeuell, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., 5 Sept., to U. of Fla., Gainesville, Fla.

Lt. Col. Ralph M. Caulkins, from Ft. Ord, Calif., 1 Sept., to Harvard Sch., N. Hollywood, Calif.

Lt. Col. Raymond R. Tourtellott, from North Hollywood, Calif., to hq., Western Defense Command, Seattle, Wash.

Lt. Col. James A. Watson, from College Station, Tex., to CCC, hq., 8th Corps Area, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Lt. Col. Lorna W. Boyd, from Los Angeles, Calif., 1 Sept., to 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.

Lt. Col. Kearle L. Berry, prior orders amended, Camp Bowie, Tex., to command, that station.

Lt. Col. Frank S. Mansfield, Wash., D. C., to New York, N. Y.

Lt. Col. Walter B. Fariss, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to hq., VIII Army Corps, Brownwood, Tex.

Lt. Col. Philip T. Fry, 10 Sept., to Military Academy, College Park, Ga., in add. to other duties.

Lt. Col. Don M. Scott, College Park, Ga., 10 Sept., to Inf. Rep. Train. Cen., Camp Roberts, Calif.

Lt. Col. Guy C. McKinley, jr., Milledgeville, Ga., 10 Sept., to Inf. Rep. Train. Cen., Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Lt. Col. Frank R. Schucker, from Gulfport, Miss., 10 Sept., to Inf. Rep. Train. Cen., Camp Walters, Tex.

Lt. Col. Donald B. Hilton, from Borden-town, N. J., 10 Sept., to Inf. Rep. Train. Cen., Camp Croft, S. C.

Lt. Col. James D. Bender, from College Station, Tex., 10 Sept., to Inf. Sch., Ser. Command, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Lt. Col. John A. Andrews, from Los Angeles, Calif., 10 Sept., to Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. Col. George LeC. Ransey, from Pittsburgh, Pa., 10 Sept., to 6th Inf. Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Lt. Col. Andrew T. Knight, from New York, N. Y., 10 Sept., to 1st Inf. Div., Ft. Devens, Mass.

Lt. Col. Ralph E. Bower, from Salt Lake City, Utah, 10 Sept., to 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.

Lt. Col. Albert A. Nostrand, from Schenectady, N. Y., 10 Sept., to 4th Motorized Div., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Lt. Col. Milton B. Goodyear, from St. Paul, Minn., 10 Sept., to 9th Inf. Div., Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Lt. Col. Edward P. Wadden, from Columbus, O., 10 Sept., to 5th Inf. Div., Camp Custer, Mich.

Lt. Col. Jerome G. Harris, from Boston, Mass., 10 Sept., to 4th Motorized Div., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Lt. Col. James A. Summersett, from Milwaukee, Wis., to home to await retirement.

Lt. Col. Harold D. Woolley, from Clarksburg, W. Va., 25 Aug., to 5th CASC, Camp Perry, O.

Maj. Joseph S. Harbison, from Governors Is., N. Y., 30 Aug., to faculty, AGD Sch., Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Maj. George E. Elliott, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., 7 Aug., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Maj. George S. Wilson, from Ft. Hayes, O., 1 Sept., to off. of C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Kenton P. Cooley, from Camp Sibert, Nev., 10 Sept., to hq. Co., Wash., D. C.

Maj. John O. Williams, from Panama Canal Dept., to 30th Inf., Presidio of San Francisco.

Maj. Crump Gravin, from Camp Walters, Tex., 25 Aug., to off. of C. of Inf., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Staten E. Rall, from Hawaiian Dept., to Inf. Sch. Ser. Com., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Maj. Richard G. Thomas, jr., prior orders amended, from Ft. Ord, Calif., 10 Aug., to Inf. Sch. Ser. Com., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Capt. John J. Hughes, from Ft. Snelling, Minn., to off. of AG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Bernard Lowenstein, name changed to Bernard Lawson.

Capt. Walter H. Badgett, from Houston, Tex., 7 Aug., to faculty, AG Sch., Arlington Cantonment, Va.

Following off, from station indicated, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 15 Sept., Charleston, S. C.: Capt. Langdon A. Jackson, jr., Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Capt. George A. McGee, jr., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. Harry Balish, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Capt. Alston W. Burleigh, prior orders amended, from Ft. Devens, Mass., to Anacostia Rec. Area, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Fredrik A. Smith-Peterson, from Ft. Benning, Ga., 11 Aug., to asst. const. QM, 4th

Zone, Atlanta, Ga.

Capt. John B. Furay II, from Wash., D. C., to New York, N. Y.

Following Capt., from station indicated, to Panama Canal Dept., sail 13 Sept., New York: Thaddeus R. Dulin, 6th Inf. Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Carl F. Lyons, jr., 53d Inf., Ft. Ord, Calif.; John H. Montgomery, jr., 90th Antitank Bn., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Milton I. Rosen, 15th Inf., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Olen J. Seaman, jr., 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.; James H. Skeldon, 20th Inf., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Following off, from station indicated, to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco: Capt. Ralph A. Redburn, Camp Bowie, Tex.; Capt. Jesse P. Reid, Camp Wallace, Tex.; 1st Lt. Charles W. Hastings, Camp Bowie, Tex.; 1st Lt. Samuel F. Langley, Ft. Sill, Okla.; 1st Lt. Fairbanks Tryon, Camp Bowie, Tex.; 1st Lt. Lawrence F. Wanja, Camp Bowie, Tex.; 2nd Lt. Stanley J. Reed, Camp Barkeley, Tex.; 2nd Lt. John E. Roesch, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Capt. Edmund A. Wright, from Camp Blanding, Fla., 22 Aug., to inactive status.

Capt. David L. Wood, from Camp Blanding, Fla., 12 Aug., to off. of AG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. John G. Ondrick, from Wilmington, Del., to military attaché Tehran, Iran.

Capt. Duncan B. Dowling, jr., from Ft. Jackson, S. C., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 25 Sept., San Francisco, Calif.

Capt. Thomas J. O'Connor, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 25 Sept., San Francisco.

Capt. William P. O'Neal, jr., from Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 25 Sept., San Francisco.

Capt. Robert S. Kennedy, prior orders amended, from Hawaiian Dept., to 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.

Capt. Lauren W. Merriam, from West Point, N. Y., 12 Aug., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Following off, from Hawaiian Dept., to station indicated: Capt. George T. Duncan, 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.; Capt. Dennis J. McMahon, 5th Inf. Div., Ft. Custer, Mich.; Capt. Isaac S. Morris, 9th Inf. Div., Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Capt. Henry E. Royall, 6th Inf. Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Capt. John J. Tolson III, 6th Inf. Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; 1st Lt. Arthur A. Maloney, 3rd Inf. Div., Ft. Lewis, Wash.

1st Lt. Stewart E. White, from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., 15 Aug., Inf. Sch. Ser. Com., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Following 1st Lts., from Panama Canal Dept., to station indicated: Arthur W. Boland, 6th Inf. Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; John S. Brerley, 6th Inf. Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Charles E. Coates, jr., 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.; Robert M. Coleman, 3rd Inf. Div., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Charles G. Frank, 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.; Frank T. Holt, 6th Inf. Div., Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; James H. Keller, 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.; Robert A. Matter, 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.; John B. McConville, 5th Inf. Div., Ft. Custer, Mich.; Daniel A. Nolan, jr., 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.; Robert W. Page, jr., 7th Inf. Div., Ft. Ord, Calif.

1st Lt. Charles O. Kates, from Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Hawaiian Dept., sail 6 Sept., San Francisco.

1st Lt. Loren E. Bishop, prior orders amended, read "Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo." instead of "Ft. Snelling, Minn."

1st Lt. Christopher T. Boland, from Jefferson Bks., Mo., to 703d MP Bn., Arlington Cantonment, Va.

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ment, Va.
1st Lt. William F. Turney, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., to asst. const. QM, that station.
1st Lt. William M. Archer, Jr., from Ft. Bragg, N. C., 14 Aug., to inactive status.
2nd Lt. Harry S. Davis, Jr., from Ft. Devens, Mass., to Anacostia Rec. Area, Wash., D. C.
2nd Lt. Dick D. Strauss, from Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., to Philippine Dept., sail 30 Aug., San Francisco.
2nd Lt. John J. D. Kooker, Ft. Knox, Ky., to Armored Force Sch., that station.
2nd Lt. Robert H. Odell, prior orders amended, from Wash., D. C., 19 Aug., to asst. military attaché, Melbourne, Australia.
2nd Lt. John L. Almeida, Ft. Benning, Ga., to Provisional Parachute Group, that station.

AIR CORPS

MAJ. GEN. GEORGE H. BRETT, C. of AC
Col. Donald P. Muse, from Eglin Fld., Fla., 12 Sept., to hq., First Army, Governors Is., N. Y.
Following off, from station specified, to 3rd Air Force, Tampa, Fla.: Lt. Col. Harold W. Benton, Savannah, Ga.; Maj. John A. Samford, New Orleans, La.
Col. Thomas J. Hanley, Jr., Mitchell Fld., N. Y., to C. of S., Hq., 1st Air Force, that station.

Following off, from station indicated, to Air Force Combat Command, Bolling Fld., D. C.: Lt. Col. Robin A. Day; Maj. Donald W. Benner; Maj. Russell A. Wilson.

Following off, from Lawson Fld., Ga., to Army Air Base, Savannah, Ga.: Maj. Philo G. Helsenholder, 1st Lt. Glenn P. Anderson, Jr., Maj. Harry N. Burkhalter, Jr., Maj. Herbert E. Thatcher, 1st Lt. John H. Griffith, 1st Lt. William F. Neff, 1st Lt. Paul W. Tibbets, Jr., 1st Lt. Marvin S. Zipp.

Maj. John E. Bodle, from Richards Fld., Kan., 1 Sept., to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.
Maj. Cornelius W. Cousland, from Buenos Aires, Argentina, to MacDill Fld., Fla.

Maj. Harold R. Buckley, Wash., D. C., 9 Aug., to hq., Army Air Forces, that station.
Maj. Sydney D. Grubbs, Jr., from Randolph Fld., Tex., to Kelly Fld., Tex.

Maj. Emery S. Wetzel, from Pittsburgh, Pa., 15 Aug., to off. of C. of AC, Wash., D. C.
Maj. Thomas H. Jarrell, from MacDill Fld., Fla., to hq., Gulf Coast AC Train, Cen., Randolph Fld., Tex.

Maj. Stewart W. Towle, Jr., from Wash., D. C., 11 Aug., to off. of C., NG Bureau, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Eldo A. Peterman, from Paso Robles, Calif., to Wright Fld., O.
Maj. William Ball, from Langley Fld., Va., to off. of C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Following off, Langley Fld., Va., to that station: Maj. P. Ernest Gabel, 1st Lt. Dale L. Anderson.

Maj. Archibald M. Kelley, from Langley Fld., Va., to hq., Air Force Combat Command, Bolling Fld., D. C.

Maj. John H. Ives, from Kelly Fld., Tex., to off. of C. of AC, Wash., D. C.
Capt. Roger E. Lee, from Detroit, Mich., 12 Aug., to Wichita, Kan.

Following off, from Ft. Knox, Ky., to station indicated: To Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.—Capt. Francis L. Rivard, 1st Lt. Frederic G. Hulsh, 1st Lt. Vernon L. Stintzi, 1st Lt. Robert A. Zaiser, to Bowman Fld., Ky.; 1st Lt. Richard D. Dick, 2nd Lt. William A. Daniel.

1st Lt. Thomas J. Taylor, prior orders revoked; Maxwell Fld., Ala., to AC Board, that station.

Following off, from Brooks Fld., Tex., to hq., this Army, San Antonio, Tex.: 1st Lt. Ray H. Martin; 2nd Lt. Harry N. Tower.

1st Lt. Robert A. Breitweiser, from Maxwell Fld., Ala., to AC Train, Det., Georgia Air Service, Bennettsville, S. C.

1st Lt. Andrew J. Kinney, from Augusta, Ga., to AC Train, Det., Ala., Inst. of Aeronautics, Inc., Tuscaloosa, Ala.

2nd Lt. Oliver L. Duncan, from Stockton, Calif., to AC Train, Det., Southern Aviation Sch., Camden, S. C.

2nd Lt. Cullie B. Harris, from Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., to weather officer, Post Fld., Okla.

2nd Lt. Richard L. Hayes, from Wright Fld., O., 25 Aug., to 2d Weather Sq., Patterson Fld., O.

Following 2nd Lts., from Wright Fld., O., to Fairfield Air Dept., Patterson Fld., O.: Robert H. Brown, Burton E. Peterson.

2nd Lt. Frank N. Graves, prior orders revoked, from Ft. Lewis, Wash., to 2nd Photo Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.

2nd Lt. Thomas A. Jean, prior orders revoked.

Following 2nd Lts., from Kelly Fld., Tex., to station shown after name: John J. Adler, 101st Obs. Sq., Boston Airport, East Boston, Mass.; Malcolm P. Alfrey, 101st Obs. Sq., Boston Airport, East Boston, Mass.; Emmette P. Allen, 107th Obs. Sq., Camp Beauregard, La.; James J. Armstrong, 107th Obs. Sq., Camp Beauregard, La.; John N. Atkins, Jr., 107th Obs. Sq., Camp Beauregard, La.; Frank H. Bateman, Jr., 111th Obs. Sq., Municipal Airport, Brownwood, Tex.; Robert E. Baugh, 111th Obs. Sq., Municipal Airport, Brownwood, Tex.; John T.

Brennan, Jr., 110th Obs. Sq., Adams Fld., Ark.; John W. Covington, 110th Obs. Sq., Adams Fld., Ark.; Ramond V. Dockrey, 120th Obs. Sq., Ft. Bliss, Tex.; John R. Dyas, 111th Obs. Sq., Municipal Airport, Brownwood, Tex.; George F. Hayman, Jr., 154th Obs. Sq., Post Fld., Ft. Sill, Okla.; William D. Jernigan, Jr., 119th Obs. Sq., Airport, Newark, N. J.; Dale M. Johnson, 113th Obs. Sq., Key Fld., Miss.; Oris B. Johnson, 113th Obs. Sq., Key Fld., Miss.; Caesar S. Kaiser, 120th Obs. Sq., Ft. Bliss, Tex.; Harry B. Keebaugh, 113th Obs. Sq., Key Fld., Miss.; Frank P. Smart, 153d Obs. Sq., Key Fld., Miss.; George T. Walker, 118th Obs. Sq., Airport, Jacksonville, Fla.; Robert W. Wierman, 118th Obs. Sq., Airport, Jacksonville, Fla.

Following 2nd Lt. from Stockton, Calif., to station ind.: Ray J. Binder, 116th Obs. Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Byron B. Brown, 116th Obs. Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Charles P. Clark, 116th Obs. Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Edwin J. Colson, 116th Obs. Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Merrill R. Cook, 116th Obs. Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Following 2nd Lts., from Maxwell Fld., Ala., to station ind.: Joe L. Bonnet, 108th Obs. Sq., Municipal Airport, Chicago, Ill.; David E. Council, 108th Obs. Sq., Municipal Airport, Chicago, Ill.; Rodman L. Crawford, 108th Obs. Sq., Municipal Airport, Chicago, Ill.; Oscar A. Grab, 108th Obs. Sq., Municipal Airport, Chicago, Ill.

Following 2nd Lts., from Gunter Fld., Ala., to station shown after name: Jerome C. Eichholz, 105th Obs. Sq., Ft. Jackson, S. C.; Raymond A. Fortin, 105th Obs. Sq., Ft. Jackson, S. C.; William F. Kayhoe, 105th Obs. Sq., Ft. Jackson, S. C.; Sumner P. Lapp, 105th Obs. Sq., Ft. Jackson, S. C.; Martin E. Lichte, 105th Obs. Sq., Ft. Jackson, S. C.; Herbert E. Lindhe, 105th Obs. Sq., Ft. Jackson, S. C.; George K. Pond, 102d Obs. Sq., Kelly Fld., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; Milton V. Schevchik, 102d Obs. Sq., Kelly Fld., Ft. McClellan, Ala.; Franklin E. Tomlinson, 152d Obs. Sq., Hillsgrove, R. I.

Following 2nd Lts., from Moffett Fld., Calif., to station ind.: Roy M. Bain, 154th Obs. Sq., Post Fld., Ft. Sill, Okla.; Roy W. Forrest, 116th Obs. Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Robert M. Hardy, 116th Obs. Sq., Gray Fld., Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Lowell S. Johnson, 115th Obs. Sq., Paso Robles, Calif.; Orville W. Shelton, 115th Obs. Sq., Paso Robles, Calif.

ORDERS TO RETIRED OFFICERS

Col. James D. Heysinger, from St. Louis University Sch. of Medicine, St. Louis, Mo., 12 Dec., to inactive status.

Lt. Col. Agard H. Bailey, to active duty, 11 Aug., to tech. adviser, of Train, Film Project 173, "Counter-Intelligence," Hollywood, Calif.

Lt. Col. James E. Phillips, to active duty, 18 Aug., Georgetown U., Wash., D. C.
Maj. Arthur L. Koch, from Wash., D. C., 18 Oct., to inactive status.

Lt. Col. Leonard L. Barrett, to active duty, rank of Maj., 1 Sept., to hq., 2nd Corps Area, Governors Is., N. Y.

Col. T. Bentley Mott, USA, advanced on retired list to rank of Brig. Gen., 13 June, 1940.
Col. Raymond W. Hardenbergh, to active duty, 15 Aug., to off. of Admin. of Export Control, New York, N. Y.

Maj. Roy R. Lyon, from Chicago, Ill., 25 Aug., to inactive status.
Maj. Morris J. Herbert, to active duty, off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.

Maj. John E. Haywood, active duty, 18 Aug., to CCC, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

PROMOTIONS

Following off, to rank indicated, 6 Aug.: Cary McC. Abney, Jr., FA, Capt.; Claude B. Barre, Inf., Capt.; Joseph P. Brueckner, Engr., 1st Lt.; Freeman C. DeBoe, QM, 1st Lt.; Jacob R. Degenhardt, Cav., Capt.; Paul E. Felfert, Inf., 1st Lt.; Claude T. Forebee, Dent., Capt.; Edward C. Forbes, Engr., 1st Lt.; Thomas Garber, Sig., 1st Lt.; Everett J. Gordon, Med., Capt.; John R. Grindell, Inf., 1st Lt.; Samuel A. Hanser, Med., Capt.; Walter F. Hein, Med., Maj.; Joseph S. Hellewell, Med., Capt.; Thomas S. Henry, Engr., Capt.; Harvey G. Johnston, Jr., Cav., 1st Lt.; Nathaniel J. Kendall, Ord., Capt.; Joseph F. Laird, Jr., Dent., Capt.; Hollis C. Lewis, Inf., 1st Lt.;

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

Foreign Affairs—Revealed this week was the fact that at the invitation of the President, Premier Churchill conferred with him in the Mid-Atlantic. One result of the several conferences held was set forth in a joint declaration of peace aims, "after the final destruction of the Nazi tyranny." The declaration averred no ambition for aggrandizement, territorial or other; no desire for any territorial changes not in accord with the freely expressed wishes of the people concerned; respect for the right of a people to live under the form of government they desired, and self-government restored to those forcibly deprived of their sovereign rights; access, on equal terms to victor and vanquished alike, to the trade and the raw materials of the world; fullest collaboration between all nations in the economic field to secure for all improved labor standards, economic advancement and social security; freedom of the seas, and disarmament of aggressor nations, pending the establishment of a wider and permanent system of general security.

The enunciation of this joint program of aims, which accords with the principles hitherto expressed by the President, was believed to have been inspired by several reasons. There was the British desire to join the United States in a political agreement, which would commit us conclusively to the Empire's war aims. There was the President's purpose to assure the American people that his prime interest in the war is the development of a just and lasting peace, which would benefit all humanity. There was the rising sentiment throughout the Empire for the assertion of its war aims. There was the necessity of anticipating a peace proposal by Hitler, which would follow the conference of the Axis and its Allies, to occur after Russia shall have been conquered.

The fact that the high military and naval commands of the United States and Britain took part in the conferences indicates that agreements were reached regarding their mutual activities under given circumstances; and this would seem to point particularly to Japan, especially as simultaneously with the publication, Britain banned all exports to that country except under license. The fact that Lord Beaverbrook, British Minister of Supply is in Washington, shows that he will put his dynamic personality behind our defense effort, and speed the American effort to furnish England and Russia with needed munitions.

The historic mid-Atlantic conferences occurred at a time when the clouds were blackening in the Far East, and the Russians were being driven further back into their homeland by the powerful blows of the German Armies. With Japan increasing her strength in Indo-China, the British and American Governments delivered parallel warnings to Tokyo against an invasion of Thai, and the response of the Konoze Ministry was the imposition of an economic state of war throughout the Empire. Marshal Petain, following a prolonged Cabinet meeting, broadcasted his decision that France should join the Hitlerian "New Order," and announced the promotion of Admiral Darlan, Vice Premier, to a military dictatorship patterned after that of the Nazi. Darlan, it will be recalled, said last June that "France must cleave to Germany or perish." Both Britain and the United States pressed Petain to refuse German demands for concessions beyond the terms of the armistice, and Secretary Hull long ago accused Darlan of being a partner in a collaboration "scheme," the object of which was "to deliver France economically, socially and militarily" to Hitler and make France a co-belligerent in "Hitler's desperate effort to conquer Great Britain, and secure control of the high seas." Fearing that Turkey, impressed by the German sweep through the Ukraine to the Black Sea, might enter the Axis orbit, the Russian and British Governments gave assurance at Ankara of military support in case of any attempt at invasion. Whether this will induce the Turkish Government to continue to pursue the policy of neutrality no one can say at this time.

It has been announced in Berlin that a conference of the Nations committed to the New Order shortly will be held. The purpose of the Conference will be to bring into closer collaboration the countries which have been attached to the Hitler chariot. They will include Germany, Italy, Slovakia, Roumania, Hungary, Bulgaria, Denmark, Finland, Japan, and France. Undoubtedly invitations will be extended to all remaining neutrals in Europe and Asia, an act which would be gravely embarrassing to those anxious to avoid involvement in the war. Their attitude in the matter already probably has been greatly influenced by the announcement of the purpose of the Vichy Government to collaborate with Germany, and by the support Japan has been giving in her own interest, to the Axis Powers. It will be influenced more largely if the Germans continue their victories in Russia. Meeting under the domination of Hitler, the Conference will give an impressive demonstration of Axis might, but it also may be expected to formulate plans for economic and military cooperation.

Beyond concentrating a strong force upon the frontier of Thai and insisting that it merely wishes to establish close economic relations with that country, the Japanese Government has not revealed the further plans for expansion which it has in mind. For the moment, it is consolidating its position in Indo-China, and reinforcing its troops in Manchukuo, from which they can move into Siberia should the German invaders destroy the Russian Armies in Europe. From Tokyo have come official utterances indicating there is a prospect that shipment of American supplies to Vladivostok will not be permitted. President Roosevelt has given approval to the dispatch of such shipments, and in Administration circles it is emphatically stated that we will not tolerate any interference with our trade with Siberia. Acting in concert with the British, we have advised the Bangkok Government of our interest in its retention of complete independence, and we are prepared to aid it in promoting defense against aggression. A conflict of interest, consequently, has developed in the Far East, which has been intensified by the economic war Britain, the United States and the Dutch East Indies have instituted against Japan. In taking measures for the protection of her economy, which is but a step or two short of actual war, the latter apparently is preparing to use force to promote the New Order in East Asia and the Pacific, which she long ago proclaimed.

Animated by bitter hatred of Britain, and anticipating Axis victory, and that only by aiding in that victory can security for France be obtained, it is to be expected that Admiral Darlan, as Minister for National Defense, will move in the direction of military cooperation with the Axis. Among other things, this would mean that labor in the factories of France would be encouraged to augment the output of munitions for use by Axis as well as French troops. There are various ways by which this goal can be reached, including an alliance against Russia, which would bring about a state of war with Britain, or permission for German troops to occupy north and west French Africa. The latter concession could be granted only with

the consent of General Weygand, who does not approve of Darlan. If given, it would bring Germany to Dakar, whence planes could fly across the Atlantic to Brazil.

The Brazilian Government fully understands the danger of German occupation of French West Africa, and it is now discussing the advisability of granting base rights in the vicinity of Natal, to the United States. The need of such rights is inferred from the testimony of General Marshall before the House Military Committee. In the course of his remarks, he said that should Russia, as far as the Volga, for example, be disposed of, the next move of Germany probably would come quickly in a rush through Spain and Portugal into North Africa. On the theory that a stitch in time saves nine, Washington is proceeding to obtain a position on the bulge of Brazil which would enable the repulse of an enemy air fleet from Africa.

The close vote by which the House passed the joint resolution extending the term of service of the National Guard, Reserves and Selectees, admittedly has weakened the hand of the President in dealing with international affairs. The members of the Triple Alliance deduce from the vote, as well as from the refusal of the Senate Appropriations Committee to recommend the appropriation of \$1,347,000, 000 for special ordnance items, that Congress is unwilling to take steps which would further commit the United States to war.

Navy Hospital Ship—The USS Solace, the first hospital ship to be added to the U. S. Navy since World War days, was commissioned Saturday, 9 Aug., at the Atlantic Basin Iron Works, Brooklyn, N. Y. Capt. Benjamin Perlman, USN, who has been assigned as commanding officer of the Solace, read the orders placing the ship in commission.

The Solace, formerly the Clyde Mallory liner Iroquois, has been fitted out as a modern, 400-bed hospital, the equal of the most completely equipped hospital of its size on shore. Besides her operating crew, the ship carries thirteen medical officers, three dental officers, thirteen nurses, three pharmacists, and 139 hospital corps ratings.

The Solace has half a dozen hospital wards, two completely equipped operating rooms, an x-ray department, an eye, ear, nose and throat operating room, a urological operating room, a physiotherapeutic department, a pharmacy and a clinical laboratory. Besides the regular kitchens for members of the ship's company, there is a special diet kitchen, and each hospital ward has its own pantry for preparation of special diets for patients. Meals will be served to patients on compartmented trays, brought to the bedside piping hot in electrically heated food carts.

There is an elevator so that patients can be moved with a minimum of disturbance from ward to ward or from ward to operating room. The ample deck space offers opportunities for convalescents to get out in the open air, as well as for recreational facilities for members of the ship's company.

Unlike other ships of the Navy, the Solace is not painted gray, but shining white with a green band and a red cross on each side, the colors prescribed for a hospital ship by the terms of the Hague Convention.

Capt. Harold L. Jensen (MC), USN, is senior medical officer and officer in charge of hospital facilities, and Comdr. Thomas E. Flaherty, USN, executive officer.

Four of the officers assigned to the Solace formerly served on her when she was the Iroquois. Lt. R. L. Parry, USNR, who was first assistant engineer of the Iroquois, will be engineer officer of the Solace. Lt. (jg) J. L. McLean, USNR, former chief officer of the Iroquois, will be first lieutenant of the Solace. The others are Lt. (jg) J. M. Gallagher, USNR, who will be navigator, and Lt. (jg) H. C. Ebbs, USNR, who will be assistant engineer officer.

There is only one other hospital ship now in commission in the Navy, the USS Relief, built as a hospital ship in the Philadelphia Navy Yard in 1917-19.

Coast Artillery Corps—Anti-aircraft gunners in the Coast Artillery are now looking at the world through "rose" colored glasses as they observe tracer shells in target practice. Eyeglasses with red lenses have been issued to replace those with amber lenses to provide greater contrast between the tracer and the sky. Research into their use by the Coast Artillery Board at Ft. Monroe, Va., has shown that the red lenses are better than any other color glasses, and are better even than binoculars with filters, particularly on hazy days. To observe tracer streams in target practice, gun crews must see with good contrast up to the effective distance of 37mm and 40mm anti-aircraft guns.

The War Department has let an architectural-engineering contract for design and, at the option of the government, supervision of construction of a complete camp for an anti-aircraft firing center to accommodate approximately 15,000 troops stationed at Venice Beach, Fla. The construction of this range along with the engineering contract is estimated at \$11,400,000. The site located along the west coast of Florida in Sarasota County, will comprise an area of approximately 3,500 acres.

National Guard Bureau—Two officers have been ordered from the National Guard Bureau and one Regular Army officer has been detailed into the bureau. The new arrival is Maj. Stewart W. Towle, jr., AC. Major Towle had been assigned as instructor with the District of Columbia National Guard, but was released from such assignment last week when the observation squadron of the guard was ordered inducted into federal service.

The two officers who have left the bureau are Col. Walter P. Davenport, MC, and Lt. Col. Edgar A. Jarman, JAGD. Colonel Davenport, medical adviser to the bureau, will sail from New York 6 Sept. for the Puerto Rican Department. Colonel Jarman has been assigned to duty in the office of the Judge Advocate General. Departure of Colonel Jarman leaves the bureau without its own legal adviser. Hereafter, the bureau will call upon the Judge Advocate General directly for opinions and advice.

Officer personnel of the National Guard Bureau is being gradually reduced to 14 from its previous peak of 30. Accompanying this reduction is a curtailment of the number of civilian employees from 150 to 85. Decision of Congress to retain the National Guard in federal service for the next 18 months will simplify work of the bureau.

The Senate last week confirmed Frayne Baker as a brigadier general in the National Guard of the United States. General Baker will command a brigade in the 34th Division, of which he has been chief of staff. General Baker is well known in Washington, having served four years on the War Department General Staff.

Officers With Troops—Announcement this week that Maj. Gen. Oscar W. Griswold, USA, commanding general of the Infantry Replacement Training Center at Camp Croft, S. C., would command the 4th Motorized Division, recalls similar orders in recent weeks which indicate that the War Department, in ordering men from troops

commands to overhead and staff assignments, intends to lose no opportunity to return the officers to troop commands. A case in point is that of Maj. Gen. Robert C. Richardson, Jr., who somewhat unwillingly was brought from command of the 1st Cavalry Division to head the War Department's Bureau of Public Relations. In less than a year, however, General Richardson found himself back in the field, this time commanding an army corps. Another case is Brig. Gen. Charles H. White, taken from the field to command the Replacement Training Center at Camp Roberts, Calif. General White was soon returned to the field to command the 7th Infantry Division, and last week was promoted to temporary major general. General Griswold also was temporarily appointed major general last week.

Infantry—Although lacking official confirmation, rumors are persistent at the War Department that a new Infantry Replacement Training Center, augmenting the four already in service, will soon be constructed at Neosho, Mo. The new center, according to reports, will be slightly smaller than the four centers now in service, with a capacity for some 7,000 officers and men. The centers now in use accommodate some 10,000 officers and men each. At least one officer and possibly others have visited Neosho within the past two weeks on activities said to have connection with a new replacement training center there.

Brig. Gen. Omar N. Bradley, Commandant of the Infantry School, has assumed command of Ft. Benning, Ga. as an additional duty. It is expected that under regulations recently issued by the War Department General Bradley will retain command of Ft. Benning although general officers in command of organizations of the field forces who are senior to him may be on the reservation, particularly as division commanders. General Bradley is filling the vacancy created by the transfer of Maj. Gen. Lloyd R. Fredendall, former commander of the 4th Motorized Division and of Ft. Benning. Maj. Gen. Oscar W. Griswold, commanding general of the Infantry Replacement Training Center, Camp Croft, S. C., will assume command of the 4th Motorized Division.

Nearly 500 officers were graduated this week from two courses at the Infantry School, according to an announcement made by Col. Herbert B. Laux, public relations officer of the school. The exercises were held on Friday, with 393 officers graduating from the Rifle and Heavy Weapons Company Officers course and 73 officers from the Officers Communications Course.

Maj. Charles T. Lanham, of the Office Chief of Infantry, left on Sunday for temporary duty at Hollywood, Calif., where he will assist in preparation of training films. Quite a few of the training films, depicting various phases of military life, training, etc., are now being filmed in Hollywood by professional studios according to officers assigned to the Office Chief of Infantry. The films are used to supplement training instructions at the various camps and replacement training centers.

In order to facilitate and expedite the rotation of Infantry Reserve officers of company grade through the Infantry School and Infantry Replacement Training Centers to Regular Army troop units of the field force, the War Department has issued a policy prescribing a procedure that "by utilizing to the best advantage the facilities of the Infantry School, will materially raise the standard of Infantry training and will provide a larger number of trained and experienced company commanders for units with the field forces." The officers selected for attendance at the Infantry School will be selected by Corps Area Commanders from their respective Corps Area assignment groups and ordered from their homes to the Infantry School for temporary duty as students in the Rifle and Heavy Weapons courses. Upon completion of the temporary duty, the officers will proceed to permanent station. Dates on which the classes at the Infantry school will be conducted follow: 14th course, 24 Aug. to 21 Nov.; 15th course, 31 Aug. to 28 Nov.; 16th course, 21 Sept. to 19 Dec.; 17th course, 5 Oct. to 9 Jan. 1942.

Army Air Forces—The first class of Army Air Corps enlisted aviation students will start training on 23 August. The initial class of 188 men will enter the elementary stage of training at the Spartan School of Aeronautics, Muskogee, Okla., and the Brayton Flying School, Cuero, Texas. One hundred and twenty-five men will go to the Spartan school and 63 to the Brayton school. This first group of students will be followed, according to present plans, by even larger groups at five week intervals, until finally a total of 6,000 enlisted pilots will have been trained.

To be eligible for the training as an enlisted aviation student it is required that the applicant be a member of the Air Forces, Regular Army, other Arms of the Regular Army, the National Guard, or a Trainee. However, men with less than three years to serve in the Army of the United States are required to reenlist for a three year term of duty. He must also be a high school graduate between the ages of 18 and 22 and able to pass the required physical examination. Upon graduation from training these students will be awarded warrants as staff sergeant pilots, Air Corps. Eventually it is planned that 20 per cent of the Army Air Corps pilot strength may be composed of non-commissioned officers. (Other details on the enlisted pilot program were published in this column last week.)

Application forms for candidates for enlisted pilot training were completed at the War Department this week and started moving to the field. Applications are made through regular military channels. The forms will be ready next week and may be secured from commanding officers. A complete text of the regulations governing this training appears in another section of this issue.

In accordance with orders issued by the War Department a new Air Corps Maintenance Command is in process of formation at Wright Field, Ohio, for the purpose of assuming complete responsibility, under the Chief of the Material Division for the storage, issue, repair and maintenance of all supplies and equipment required by Air Corps activities. About 1,000 officers, 10,000 enlisted men and 40,000 civilians will be required in carrying out the functions of the command.

The new organization consists of three main bodies—that of executive, policy and plan making, and operating. Maj. James W. Spry has been named executive administrative; Col. E. E. Adder, chief of staff for plans; Col. C. C. Nutt heads the training and operations section; Maj. M. H. Warren is chief of the engineering section; Lt. Col. F. S. Borum, field service, and Lt. Col. C. P. Kane, in charge of defense aid project.

Orders will be issued for the induction into Federal Service of the 121st Observation Squadron, District of Columbia National Guard, on 1 September. Induction will be at the Squadron Headquarters, in Washington. Permanent station for the

squadron at Lexington County Airport, Columbia, S. C., is expected to be completed the latter part of November. The squadron has a strength of 31 officers and 116 enlisted men. Present strength is 17 officers and 107 men. The squadron has three planes, an advanced trainer, and two observation planes. Maj. Steward W. Towle, Jr., AC, is instructor of the unit.

Two transport airplanes manufactured by the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation of Burbank, Calif., are undergoing tests by the Materiel Division of the Army Air Corps. The transports—designated as the C-56 and C-57—are all-metal, midwing, cantilever monoplanes with twin tail assemblies and conventional retractable landing gears. Each airplane has a wing span of 65 feet, six inches; is 49 feet long and has a gross weight of 17,500 pounds. Each carries a crew of two pilots.

The War Department this week authorized two new air bases at Presque Isle and Houlton, Me., for use by the Air Corps Ferrying Command. Construction at the two bases is estimated in excess of \$4,400,000. Personnel of both bases will include some British ferry crews. At Houlton there will be about 220 officers and 486 enlisted men, including both British and American, while Presque Isle is estimated to have provisions for about 460 officers and 728 enlisted men.

The first class of 50 Aviation Cadets has completed training and been graduated from the Air Corp's Basic Flying School at Gardner Field, Taft, Calif. The class which began training on 2 June, completed its flying on a county airport located one mile from Gardner Field due to the fact that neither field nor buildings at the new Air Corps school were completed when they began their training. Ground school work was conducted in a local high school, and night flying was conducted from the county airport by means of two portable gasoline-operated flood lights. Despite the obstacles encountered by the class, a total of 3,507 hours and 45 minutes was flown by the class and not an accident occurred.

The War Department this week authorized the enlargement of airplane buildings now in operation at San Antonio Air Depot, Duncan Field, Texas, and Hill Field, Ogden Air Depot, Utah. The cost of the two projects is estimated to be nearly \$2,000,000.

Fifty-four Air Corps soldiers from Albrook Field departed 2 Aug. for the Panama Canal Department Training Base at Rio Hato, where they became students in the Caribbean Air Force Technical School. They have been specially selected as the result of competitive examinations held for all applicants from the Caribbean Air Force. This Air Corps Technical School started over a year ago with modest resources and equipment, but has since developed under the direction of Maj. Guy F. Hix, AC, until now large classes of trained specialists are graduated at frequent intervals.

Bureau of Yards and Docks—WPA workers began this week to expand still further the facilities at Washington Navy Yard. The work includes construction of test runways for torpedoes, relocation of railroad tracks, street paving, erection of protective fences, demolition of several old buildings, and construction of new ones. President Roosevelt has approved an allocation of \$417,266 of WPA funds for the work.

The Bureau of Yards and Docks is expanding its study of materials which may be substituted for critical items in order that natural resources may be conserved for use in the manufacture of products where substitutes can not be utilized. The wide field of materials which may be used in industry makes this study not only of great importance from a conservation standpoint but opens up a realm for the introduction of new types of materials which heretofore have not been fully developed. For example, the Bureau of Yards and Docks points out that the fields of plastics, masonry, glass, special cements, and wood products offer wide possibilities as substitutes for steel.

The use of fire retardent chemicals in connection with wood construction may be a field of development which will give results comparable to steel in the fire proof field. The use of plastics and various compositions for piping materials is another possibility in the field of substitutes for metal. The Bureau has periodically been issuing memoranda to the field, listing substitute materials to be used in construction work for those items which are on the list of critical materials and where scarcity has become a national problem. The lists as issued have not been compulsory except where regulations of the Office of Production Management apply, but are made as suggestions of materials that may be used in general construction work without losing the advantages obtained through the use of conventional products.

Quartermaster Corps—Troop B, 252nd Quartermaster Squadron (Remount) has been transferred from Ft. Robinson, Neb., to Ft. Bliss, Tex., with movement being made by motor and rail.

The system set up 29 March 1941, whereby Zone Construction Quartermasters were appointed field agents of the Quartermaster General for the procurement and disposal of real estate, while corps area quartermasters were designated field agents for procurement and disposal of real estate for army maneuvers, the CCC, recruiting and the Organized Reserves, has been abolished, and all of the land acquiring functions of the corps area quartermasters, except acquisition of land for maneuvers, has been transferred to the zone constructing quartermasters.

Three light maintenance quartermaster companies have been ordered to change station as housing becomes available. Co. A, 83rd QM Battalion will move from Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to Camp Roberts, Calif.; Co. A, 69th Quartermaster Battalion will transfer from Ft. MacArthur, Calif., to Camp Callan, Calif., and Co. C, 68th Quartermaster Battalion, will move from Normoyle Quartermaster Depot, Texas, to Camp Wolters, Texas.

United States troops stationed in the Philippine Islands are to be issued short-sleeve shirts, worn without neckties, and tropical helmets. The War Department has authorized the purchase of these two items for the comfort and efficiency of the Philippine troops.

The Quartermaster Corps has purchased 16 additional boats for the Army's miniature "Navy." Included in this recent purchase are: three steel tugs, a 30-foot launch, a 64-foot freight and passenger boat, three launches, five utility boats, and three yachts.

As a result of the development of a non-breakable metal thermos bottle by the Quartermaster Corps, ski troops on maneuvers will be assured of hot liquids. The new device is manufactured of light metals in flash form and would also keep cold liquids chilled if it were necessary.

Motor vehicles will be kept on the "go" because of a new metal bracket which the Quartermaster Corps has designed for holding a spare five-gallon gasoline can. The bracket may be attached to any military motor vehicle, and will enable the carrying of an auxiliary supply of gas during maneuvers and field operations.

Special two-week courses of instruction in problems of supply and distribution are being conducted in Washington for a limited number of Reserve Officers of the



Quartermaster Corps. Designed to provide specially trained commissioned personnel at distributing depots, the classes are under the supervision of Col. Robert M. Littlejohn, chief of the Clothing and Equipage Section. Lt. Col. Beny Rosaler, chief of the Distribution Section, is director of the school. At the conclusion of the course, student officers spend two days at an Army station, taking part in actual activities they have been studying. The present class spent 11 and 12 August at Camp Dix, N. J., with a new class of about 20 Reserve Officers starting instruction on 16 August.

Chemical Warfare Service.—Maj. Gen. William N. Porter, chief of the chemical warfare service, went to Huntsville, Ala., this week to inspect construction on the new arsenal there.

The Panama Canal Department is conducting a Chemical Warfare School to provide regimental and battalion gas officers qualified to train their respective units in chemical warfare, with special emphasis on protection against chemical attack. The school is being conducted at the Post of Corozal, C. Z., during the period 11-23 August. Col. John A. Baird, CWS, who only recently relieved Col. Alfred L. Rockwood, CWS, as Chemical Officer, Panama Canal Department, is commandant of the school. Serving as instructors are: Capt. Harold Walmsley, 1st Lt. Jack E. Babcock, 2nd Lt. Newton A. Williams, Leonard C. Miller, Aldo R. Glancoli, and M. Sgt. Charles Greenberg, all of whom are attached to the Chemical Warfare Service.

Capt. Robert W. Breaks, CWS, and Capt. Harrison S. Markham, CWS, reported for duty this week in the Office of the Chief, Washington, D. C.

Medical Department.—A hospital dedicated solely to the treatment of psychopathic cases has been leased by the War Department from the State of Kentucky. Located 4½ miles north of Danville, Ky., the hospital, leased for the duration of the emergency and two years thereafter for a fee of \$1 per year has a capacity of 250 beds. The hospital was built by Kentucky in cooperation with the PWA, and was first offered to the War Department by Governor Keen Johnson in July. The new Army hospital will be unique in that it is equipped specifically for the treatment of the mentally ill. Whereas formerly, the Army had only makeshift buildings and equipment with which to treat such patients, the new hospital will afford the Medical Department a modern building and the most up to date instruments. The War Department has authorized the expenditure of \$500,000 for the construction of storehouses, nurses' quarters, officers' quarters, barracks, recreation buildings, etc. No order has as yet been issued designating the commanding officer of the new hospital.

More typhoid vaccine was produced at the Army Medical School, Washington, D. C. during the last fiscal year than in any other peacetime year. In addition to the soldiers of the Army who are being inoculated against typhoid fever, the vaccine is also being supplied to many departments of the Government, among which are the United States Public Health Service, the Navy, the Civilian Conservation Corps, the Department of Justice, the Indian Service, the Veteran's Administration, and the Government of Puerto Rico. Nations of the Western Hemisphere are also receiving the stock culture for vaccine.

Construction of a new \$412,000 Army hospital at Ft. Baker, Calif., begun on 1 July, was 20 per cent complete this week. The hospital will accommodate soldiers and officers of the harbor defenses of San Francisco, and will have a capacity of 300 beds when completed.

In order to assure U. S. Army's million and a half fighting men of the best medical attention, the Medical Corps is making a thorough checkup of laboratory facilities available in the Army's 248 hospitals.

Maj. Gen. James C. Magee, Surgeon General, speaking of this survey said, "Much of the structure of modern medicine and the accuracy which has been attained in the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of disease are based on work done in the laboratory sciences. The Medical Department has always appreciated the importance of affording to the Army the best laboratory services obtainable."

Lt. Col. Thomas R. McCarley, Medical Corps, has been designated as commanding officer of the New York Medical Depot, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Col. Albert G. Love, USA-Ret., has been placed on active duty, effective 1 August, and has been assigned to duty in the office of the Surgeon General, Washington, D. C.

Lt. Col. Luther R. Moore is now commanding the Medical detachment at Ft. Richardson, Alaska. The Colonel recently arrived at Ft. Richardson Hospital from the Presidio of San Francisco, Calif. In addition to his other duties at the hospital, Colonel Moore is the Acting Surgeon General on the staff of the Alaska Defense Command Headquarters under Brig. Gen. Simon B. Buckner, Jr. This is not the Colonel's first tour of Alaska, as he spent some time on duty at Ft. Gibbons which was located on the Yukon. At one time, the Colonel made a trek on foot from Anchorage to Fairbanks.

Provisional Parachute Group.—The 502nd Parachute Battalion, which has been activated only one month, started on the final stretch of qualification course for jumpers on 2 August, when Capt. Reubin Tucker of Company B and five of his enlisted men successfully made their first jumps from planes. Each must complete six jumps under varying conditions to qualify. Approximately 300 officers and men of the 502nd Battalion are now enrolled in the Parachute Group School, which teaches them the groundwork necessary before actual jumping. About 180 of the 300 will finish their schooling by 14 August and be ready to jump. Names of the enlisted men who made their first jumps from planes on 2 August are: Sgt. T. W. McLean, Pvt. G. R. Hill, Pvt. G. T. Blakemister, Pvt. C. Anderson and Pvt. G. Reed.

Leather boots especially designed for Army parachute troops have been developed and a limited quantity is being purchased for use by the 501st and 502nd parachute battalions. Except for a higher cut and a hard toe the new boot is similar in appearance to the standard service shoe. Leather soles are used with an additional rubber tap and rubber heels. Several auxiliary features such as special ankle braces and sponge rubber innersoles were discarded after tests in actual use proved them to be superfluous.

The 11,722-acre addition to the Ft. Benning, Ga. military reservation on the Alabama side of the Chattahoochee River is now being improved for parachute troop training. The project is scheduled for completion by 1 December, a month after the 504th Parachute Battalion will have been activated. Work on the development of the new parachute training area is being done by Col. James R. Alfante, quartermaster at Ft. Benning. The plans call for the purchase of a large barge as a means of ferrying troops and supplies from the Georgia side of the Chattahoochee River to the new training area in Alabama; additional building at the novice jumping field; construction of an airplane landing strip; building of a field house; construction of bridges; and for raages for firing service weapons.

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Leland J. McCleish, Engr., 1st Lt.; Luther C. McGee, Dent., Capt.; William J. McGee, Med., Capt.; Ralph J. Muller, Air, 1st Lt.; Victor D. Norall, Med., Capt.; Van R. Parker, Cav., 1st Lt.; Marion B. Penn, Ord., Capt.; John S. Poe, Med., Capt.; Angelo J. Punaro, Inf., 1st Lt.; Murray B. Quigles, Jr., CA, 1st Lt.; Plato S. Rhyne, FA, Capt.; Michael Sedar, Inf., 1st Lt.; Joseph L. Sohner, Inf., 1st Lt.; Claude E. Sowers, FA, Lt. Col.; Elliott P. Vest, Jr., CA, 1st Lt.; Don C. Weir, Med., Capt.; Harry L. Workman, Dent., Capt.; Paul S. York, Med., Maj.

Following off, to rank indicated, 7 Aug.: Max Alpert, Med., Capt.; William J. Barnes, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Ezio J. Bernasconi, Med., Maj.; Robert R. Buchholz, Inf., 1st Lt.; Thomas C. Taylor Buckley, FA, Capt.; Winston, F. Caldwell, CA, 1st Lt.; William M. Dabney, Med., Capt.; William R. Freyvogel, Engr., 1st Lt.; Albert T. Goodwyn, Engr., Capt.; Allen H. Hokanson, FA, 1st Lt.; Walter A. Johnson, CA, 1st Lt.; Basil T. Kehoe, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Donald M. McClain, Engr., Capt.; John B. MacQuiddy, AG, 1st Lt.; Stanley Malless, FA, Capt.; Edwin C. Marsh, CA, 1st Lt.; Henry Meiers, Ord., Capt.; Jacob J. Miller, Engr., Capt.; Robert A. Mills, Ord., 1st Lt.; Steve J. Newton, Jr., Ord., 1st Lt.; Allen L. Peeler, Sig., Capt.; David H. Ritchie, AG, Lt. Col.; Jack L. Rosenfeld, CA, Capt.; Irving W. Schiller, Med., Capt.; Paul W. Schubach, Cav., Capt.; David Sheinart, CA, 1st Lt.; James H. Simpson, Ord., 1st Lt.; James A. Swaney, CA, 1st Lt.; Joseph S. Weaver, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Andrew S. Wesoly, Med., Capt.; Robert H. Willey, QM, 1st Lt.

Following off, to rank indicated, 8 Aug.: Maurice Baker, QM, 1st Lt.; Edgar B. Brooks, Ch., Capt.; John J. Buckley, Inf., 1st Lt.; Cecil C. Campbell, Ch., Capt.; Albert A. Carp, Med., Capt.; Wilfrid A. Carr, CA, 1st Lt.; Casey Childs, Dent., Capt.; John J. Earley, Inf., 1st Lt.; Frank E. Eldridge, Sig., Lt. Col.; Samuel M. Fletcher, Ord., Capt.; Harold E. George, Engr., Maj.; John W. Gilton, Inf., 1st Lt.; Walter K. Gregg, Med., Capt.; Stanley E. Lease, Inf., 1st Lt.; James A. Lesh, Inf., 1st Lt.; Stanton C. Love, Med., Capt.; Lynne R. Mapes, Air, 1st Lt.; Lawrence Maryanov, Med., Capt.; John J. Mullin, Inf., 1st Lt.; Allan P. Nesbitt, Engr., 1st Lt.; Raymond G. Osborn, Cav., 1st Lt.; Joseph M. Puszynski, CA, 1st Lt.; Robert W. Schafer, FA, 1st Lt.; Herbert C. Snyder, FA, Capt.; George F. Steinhmann, CA, 1st Lt.; Marcus H. Sugarman, Med., Capt.; Archie N. Wood, Engr., Maj.; Haddon B. Woods, Med., Maj.

2nd Lt. Festus G. Watson, Inf., to 1st Lt., 9 Aug.
2nd Lt. Heston Bates, OD, to 1st Lt., 9 Aug.
2nd Lt. Francis X. Leary, FA, to 1st Lt., 9 Aug.

Following off, to rank indicated, 9 Aug.: Charles D. Borman, AG, 1st Lt.; Scott Camp, Ord., 1st Lt.; Daniel V. Dougherty, Med., Capt.; Robert L. Dowell, Inf., 1st Lt.; Herbert C. Gellmann, Jr., Ord., 1st Lt.; Earl K. Gill, Med., Maj.; John V. Grossart, CA, Capt.; Manfred J. Hans, CA, Capt.; John P. Haley, Jr., Capt.; Raymond P. Hawkinson, Med., Maj.; Frank W. Hewlett, Med., Capt.; Joseph T. Kolbe, Med., Capt.; William G. LeFevre, Inf., 1st Lt.; John E. Lubrecht, Inf., 1st Lt.; Carter McGregor, Inf., 1st Lt.; Frederick H. Mayne, QM, 1st Lt.; Abraham J. Meister, Med., Capt.; Carl A. Nygaard, Inf., 1st Lt.; Lionel E. Reed, Inf., 1st Lt.; Benton H. Rosen, QM, 1st Lt.; Henry J. Rueska, Air, 1st Lt.; Julius L. Sandhaus, Med., Capt.; Edmund B. Sinclair, Med., Capt.; Louis L. Snedden, Engr., Capt.; Howard C. Tidwell, FA, Capt.; Ernest T. Trial, QM, 1st Lt.; Overton W. Turner, QM, 1st Lt.; Rex P. Uncapher, Med., Capt.; Sidney Vernon, Med., Capt.; Price M. Walker, Med., Maj.; John B. Waltz, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Nathan Weil, Jr., Med., Capt.; William G. Whyte, QM, 1st Lt.; William A. Wood, Jr., FA, 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. Norman E. Linden, Cav., to 1st Lt., 12 Aug.
2nd Lt. Clifford A. Curtis, Cav., to 1st Lt., 11 Aug.

Following off, to rank indicated, 11 Aug.: William H. Arthur, FA, 1st Lt.; George A. Bate, Ord., 1st Lt.; Charles F. Cole, Engr., 1st Lt.; Antonio S. D'Ambrosio, CA, 1st Lt.; Walter E. English, Ord., 1st Lt.; Oliver C. Ferrell, Jr., Ord., 1st Lt.; Gordon L. Foote, CW, 1st Lt.; Charles S. Glenn, FA, 1st Lt.; Lawrence E. Hugel, Med., Capt.; Robert R. Judson, Ord., Maj.; Emanuel N. Loeb, QM, 1st Lt.; Lawrence E. Lyons, Jr., Sig., Capt.; Gayle W. Maille, Inf., 1st Lt.; Gordon K. Mayhew, Ord., 1st Lt.; Wright Merrifield, Air, 1st Lt.; Garth H. Meyers, AG, 1st Lt.; Clifton A. Pratt, Engr., Capt.; Lloyd A. Reynolds, Inf., Capt.; Sterling N. Vines, CW, 1st Lt.; Virgil H. Williams, Jr., Inf., Maj.

2nd Lt. James L. Mackernan, SC, to 1st Lt., 12 Aug.

Following off, to rank indicated, 12 Aug.: Robert H. Berryhill, CW, Maj.; Milton H. Brown, CA, 1st Lt.; William J. Burleigh, Jr., Engr., 1st Lt.; Samuel M. Butler, Inf., Maj.; Robert G. Chambers, Inf., Maj.; Richard D. Clark, Ord., 1st Lt.; James M. Cooper, QM,

1st Lt.; Roy V. Creasy, CA, Capt.; Thomas W. Croston, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Carl T. Drelfus, Dent., Maj.; Stanley S. Freedman, Med., Capt.; Charles A. Glover, Jr., CA, 1st Lt.; Howard F. Goeckel, Ord., 1st Lt.; Juan H. Hinojosa, Jr., QM, 1st Lt.; Claude B. Morris, FA, 1st Lt.; Edward A. Mulrooney, CA, 1st Lt.; Marcus Nason, CA, Capt.; Edward H. Osgood, Jr., FA, 1st Lt.; Leonard C. Parnell, Ord., 1st Lt.; James R. Perrow, CA, Capt.; Pedro Quintana, Inf., Maj.; Marvin G. Richeson, AG, Maj.; Elijah P. Ripley, CA, Capt.; Edmond E. Russell, CA, Lt. Col.; Edward H. Ruth, Engr., 1st Lt.; Reed L. Seely, Inf., 1st Lt.; Homer D. Spahr, Inf., 1st Lt.; Hazell E. Waldrop, CA, Capt.; Frank W. Warburton, Air, Maj.

Temporary Promotions

Following off, to rank indicated, 6 Aug.: James C. Burdette, Inf., 1st Lt.; Joseph M. Caldwell, FA, 1st Lt.; Louis A. Chagnon, Inf., 1st Lt.; Neil M. Elder, FA, 1st Lt.; Fred F. Everett, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Percy I. Gaumnitz, FA, 1st Lt.; William W. Hamilton, FA, Capt.; Russell A. Harris, FA, Maj.; Bruce E. Hart, Inf., 1st Lt.; William W. Jones, Inf., 1st Lt.; Fred M. Key, AC, Capt.; Allan McCluer, Inf., Lt. Col.; Albert J. Meister, Inf., 1st Lt.; Andrew W. Mitchell, FA, Capt.; John J. Mulles, Inf., Capt.; James E. Nelson, MA, 1st Lt.; Clarence D. Nesgoda, FA, 1st Lt.; Thomas M. Owens, FA, 1st Lt.; Lindley A. Penny-packer, QMC, Maj.; Walter W. Remy, CAC, Capt.; William A. Spight, Inf., 1st Lt.; Taylor F. Thompson, Inf., 1st Lt.; Mark T. Warner, Ch., Lt. Col.

Following off, to rank indicated, 7 Aug.: Leo M. Armstrong, Inf., 1st Lt.; Preston M. Beauregard, CE, Capt.; William R. Bills, FA, 1st Lt.; Ralph L. Brown, FA, Capt.; Wesley H. Farrell, Inf., 1st Lt.; Harold T. Gallagher, FA, Maj.; John G. Goodeve, FA, 1st Lt.; Francis T. Hanson, QMC, 1st Lt.; William H. McGarry, Inf., Lt. Col.; Josiah Macy, Jr., FA, 1st Lt.; Alcee F. Maxwell, Inf., Capt.; Henry Morrow, FA, Capt.; Stanley P. Nevers, Inf., 1st Lt.; Herschel C. O'Brien, FA, 1st Lt.; Winfield P. Peetoom, FA, Capt.; John G. Reid, MC, Capt.; James O. Smith, Inf., 1st Lt.; Glen R. Topp, FA, Capt.; Charles A. Worthington, AGD, Maj.

Following off, to rank indicated, 8 Aug.: Earle S. Barton, DC, Lt. Col.; John Beidler, FA, Capt.; Theodore A. Brunner, Inf., 1st Lt.; Otis C. Bryant, CAC, 1st Lt.; Roy C. Davis, Ch., Maj.; John M. Doll, FA, Capt.; Ray J. Eriksen, Inf., 1st Lt.; Ross G. Fehlman, Inf., Capt.; Ralph R. Fletcher, Inf., 1st Lt.; Leonard F. Goetz, FA, 1st Lt.; Morgan B. Hensley, Inf., 1st Lt.; Roy N. Hillyer, Ch., Lt. Col.; Woodrow W. Hummel, Inf., 1st Lt.; James C. Lyle, QMC, Capt.; Kenneth J. McDonald, Inf., 1st Lt.; Jaime R. Maceo, Ch., Maj.; Craig S. Mattice, FA, Capt.; Patrick E. Nolan, Ch., Maj.; Frank A. Tobey, Ch., Maj.; Oswald M. Weaver, MC, Capt.; Walter M. Wood, Inf., 1st Lt.

The following off, to rank indicated, 9 Aug.: Narciso G. Barron, Ch., Capt.; Yundell S. Beans, Ch., Lt. Col.; John H. Chick, AC, 1st Lt.; Michael L. Connors, AGD, Maj.; Jesse H. Crosssett, Ch., Maj.; Ray E. Ecker, CAC, 1st Lt.; Leo A. Frazee, Inf., 1st Lt.; Clifford H. Freiberger, CE, 1st Lt.; Charles H. Frick, Ch., Lt. Col.; Russell B. Hathaway, Inf., Lt. Col.; Paul Hert, Inf., Capt.; Francis W. Holt, AC, 1st Lt.; Park W. Huntington, Ch., Lt. Col.; Robert L. Irving, Inf., Maj.; John E. Kent, Inf., 1st Lt.; Samuel R. Lough, FA, Maj.; Belding H. McCurdy, FA, 1st Lt.; Robert H. McGinn, FA, 1st Lt.; Charles W. Outterson, FA, Capt.; Clifford R. Proctor, FA, Capt.; William McC. Reynolds, Jr., FA, Capt.; Henry C. Settle, FA, Maj.; Claude V. Thompson, MC, Lt. Col.; Earl P. Tucker, Inf., 1st Lt.; James A. Wheless, FA, Capt.; Donald R. Wilson, CE, Capt.; John W. Wurts, FA, Maj.

Following off, to rank indicated, 11 Aug.: Algernon H. Kerr, VC, Lt. Col.; Archie L. McDivitt, Inf., 1st Lt.; Herbert E. MacCombe, Ch., Lt. Col.; Simon D. Owens, FA, 1st Lt.; Clifford L. Schallmo, FA, 1st Lt.; Martin F. Shaughnessy, Inf., Capt.; John D. Southworth, MC, Maj.; Madison E. Trimble, Inf., Capt.; David P. Woods, FA, 1st Lt.

Following off, to rank indicated, 12 Aug.: Douglas G. Alexander, Inf., 1st Lt.; Edward N. Bullock, AC, 1st Lt.; Hamden L. Forkner, Jr., FA, 1st Lt.; Rufus H. Gardner, FA, 1st Lt.; William H. Hepp, FA, 1st Lt.; George C. Herron, Inf., Maj.; Charles E. Hinkson, CWS, 1st Lt.; Chester B. Howard, Inf., Capt.; Beverly M. Leigh, Jr., FA, Capt.; Alfred L. Merritt, Jr., Inf., 1st Lt.; Thomas M. Mullen, FA, 1st Lt.; Bernell M. Myers, FA, 1st Lt.; Cordeur B. Nelson, FA, 1st Lt.; Myron B. Palmer, Jr., CAC, Capt.; William A. Partington, FA, 1st Lt.; Leslie C. Rountree, FA, 1st Lt.; Joseph C. Sandlin, Inf., 1st Lt.; Lynn LaV. Waldo, FA, Capt.

APPOINTMENTS

2nd Lt. Edwin H. Garrison, FA-Ret., apptd. 2nd Lt., Reg. Army, 1 July, to 2nd Cav. Div., Ft. Riley, Kan.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS

Following apptd. 2nd Lt., 6 Aug.: Harold C. Anderson, CAC; Richard W. Anderson, FA; Walter E. Andrews, Inf.; Argyle E. Armstrong, CE; William E. Bartley, Inf.; Nor-

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man W. Borring, FA; David I. Bramson, Inf.; Horace A. Carroll, SC; John C. Castlen, FA; John C. Dove, FA; Uriah T. Downs, Jr.; Marco J. Gotta, CAC; Frederick C. Hahn, Jr.; Hal R. Harmon, FA; Ray A. Harralson, Inf.; Claude W. Haas, FA; Kenneth W. Hemm, Inf.; Elmer A. Horvath, FA; Oscar B. Huffman, FA; Hugh A. Jennings, FA; Thomas P. Lynch, Inf.; Bolling S. Mach, Inf.; Richard A. McCourt, Inf.; Edward J. McLachlan, MAC; Robert J. McMahon, Inf.; Paul V. Meyer, CAC; Jack McL. Minnoch, FA; Ernesto G. Munoz, Inf.; Robert M. Oakes, Inf.; Henry R. Peterson, Inf.; Donald P. Reece, Inf.; Howard M. Richie, Inf.; James R. Stark, Inf.; Robert G. Stout, Inf.; Charles E. Sturm, FA; Buckner B. Teeple, CE; Edward E. Teske, CAC; Jesse S. Wilson, Jr., Inf.; William L. Youell, FA; John E. Zimmerman.

Following apptd. 2nd Lts., 7 Aug.: William A. Bear, Inf.; Harold F. Broderick, CAC; Charles R. Buchheit, Jr., FA; Marshall A. Dalton, Inf.; Fred E. Davis, FA; Lucien S. Hanks, AC; Laverne J. Heenan, Inf.; Clarence Hester, Inf.; William N. Kernan, Inf.; Carl E. Key, Inf.; Wilbur W. Koelling, AC; Stewart C. Myers, FA; Franklin V. Nicolai, Cav.; Thomas C. Piddington, Cav.; Frank J. Pietras, Inf.; Hal G. Ragsdale, OB; Heath McA. Stewart, FA; Everett A. Troy, Inf.; Harvey A. Zuecker, Inf.

Following apptd. 2nd Lts., 8 Aug.: Charles F. Brester, FA; Elmer G. Gerousin, MAC; Charles R. Glass, Inf.; Walter H. Granrud, FA; Park T. Jenkins, FA; Norvia D. Jennings, FA; Allen P. Sekula, FA; Walter C. Sinzas, Inf.

Following apptd. 2nd Lts., 9 Aug.: Francis C. Burton, FA; Robert D. Cowan, FA; Francis L. Linton, FD; Vir S. Richins, FA; Joseph G. Sheerin, Inf.; Allen G. Hart, FA; Glenn R. Peterson, FA.

Following apptd. 2nd Lts., 11 Aug.: William C. Caville, Inf.; Frans M. Eyberse, FA; Francis A. Foley, Inf.; William F. Hennessey, Inf.; Robert H. Jenkins, AC; Richard S. McCulla, FA; Clarence D. Purkhiser, FA; John O. Steele, FA; Keith K. Turner, FA; Carlton C. Waggoner, FA.

Following apptd. 2nd Lts., 12 Aug.: Edward T. Casey, FA; James R. Chandler, FA; Robert D. Elkins, FA; Herbert J. Geary, CAC; Joseph F. Graham, CE; Robert G. McArthur, Jr., FA; Millard H. Marlowe, Inf.; John H. Myers, CAC; Warren D. Sower, FA.

Following apptd. 2nd Lts., 13 Aug.: Fred W. Richards, CE; John E. Titterington, Inf.; Earle L. Varner, Inf.

TRANSFERS

1st Lt. William R. Burt, FA, to AC, 7 Aug. Following off. to serv. or arm indicated, 6 Aug.: Capt. Otis McC. Jernigan, from Inf., to Engr.; 1st Lt. Edward J. Fletcher, from Inf., to QM; 1st Lt. Robert L. Horschman, from Inf., to QM; 1st Lt. Royal K. Tanner, from Cav., to Sig.; 1st Lt. Edward M. Woods, Jr., from Inf., to QM; 1st Lt. Harold M. Younger, from Cav., to Air; 2nd Lt. Harold A. Cordes, from Inf., to Sig.; 2nd Lt. Hugh G. Downs, Jr., from Inf., to Engr.

Following off. to serv. or arm indicated, 7 Aug.: Capt. Harry B. Darling, from Inf., to QM; 1st Lt. Shirley N. Black, from Inf., to Fin.; 1st Lt. Charles B. Cole, from Inf., to Ord.; 1st Lt. Lynwood W. Easton, from Inf., to QM; 1st Lt. Merle E. Wilson, from Inf., to QM; 2nd Lt. Albert C. Bailey, from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Warner M. Brundrett, from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Alfred Diouvalvo, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Nick Pappas, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Dwight W. Pratt, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. William C. Sowers, from Inf., to Air.

1st Lt. Col. Peter K. Kelly, Inf., to CAC, 22 July.

Following off. to arm or service shown, 8 Aug.: Capt. Julian S. Reinhardt, from Inf., to AG; 1st Lt. James S. Campbell, Jr., from CA, to Ord.; 1st Lt. Hiram VanE. Mahan, from CA, to QM; 1st Lt. Wesley R. Neufeld, from Inf., to Engr.; 1st Lt. James P. O'Neill, from Inf., to Ord.; 2nd Lt. Gordon L. Barclay, from MI, to AG; 2nd Lt. Daniel J. DeSantis, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. James LeR. Green, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Curtis R. Palmer, from Cav., to Air; 2nd Lt. Thomas Slime, Jr., from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Leo E. Thomson, from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Ernest G. Wagner, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. John C. Weist, from FA, to Ord.; 2nd Lt. Wesley L. White, from FA, to MA.

1st Lt. Col. Frank M. Moore, Inf., to FD, 31 July.

Following off. to arm or service shown, 9 Aug.: Maj. Earle E. Ewing, from Inf., to AG; 1st Lt. Francis R. Blankenship, from Inf., to QM; 1st Lt. Benito J. Nickelsen, from CA, to QM; 2nd Lt. Carl P. Blakely, from Inf., to Ord.; 2nd Lt. Stevenson M. Enterline, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Joseph O. Fletcher, from Ord., to Air; 2nd Lt. Joe R. Golston, Jr., from Inf., to QM; 2nd Lt. Donald H. Hansen, from Inf., to Sig.; 2nd Lt. Charles T. Higgins, from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Robert L. McMullin, from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. John M. Powell, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Arthur J. Ruth, Jr., from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Martin R. Tannen, from CA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Robert L. Trout, from Inf., to QM; 2nd Lt. Philip E. Waincott,

from Inf., to Air.

1st Lt. Travis T. Brown, Inf., to QMC, 22 July.

Following off. to arm or service shown, 11 Aug.: Maj. Kenneth B. Lambert, from CA, to Sig.; 1st Lt. Martin H. Rittenhouse, Jr., from FA, to Ord.; 2nd Lt. James C. Evans, from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Henry G. Talmage, from QM, to Fin.

2nd Lt. Roy G. Hendrickson, QMC, to Inf., 31 July.

Maj. Joseph A. Sullivan, FA, to QMC, 31 July.

Following off. to arm or service shown, 12 Aug.: Capt. Douglas V. Aitken, from Inf., to AG; Capt. Frank Ignaszewski, from Cav., to QM; Capt. George A. Young, from Inf., to QM; 1st Lt. David C. Apps, from Sig., to Ord.; 1st Lt. Joachim E. Liebmann, from Engr., to Ord.; 1st Lt. Jerome R. Matherne, from Inf., to Sig.; 2nd Lt. John Hochreiter, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. William F. McCrone, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Henry I. Morehead, from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Noah W. Overstreet, Jr., from Inf., to Air; 2nd Lt. Joseph P. Sell, Jr., from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Lawrence C. Smith, from Inf., to Air.

1st Lt. Col. Charles W. Walton, CWS, to Cav., 5 Aug.

Capt. Milton T. Hankins, SC, to CWS, 5 Aug.

2nd Lt. Chalmers C. Crump, FA, to CE, 12 Aug.

Following off. to arm or service shown, 13 Aug.: Capt. Frederick N. Leonard, from Ord., to FA; 2nd Lt. Clarence J. Clarke, from FA, to Air; 2nd Lt. Walter Munroe Hatcher, Jr., from FA, to Air.

WARRANT OFFICERS

W. O. Henri M. Herff, from Panama Canal Dept., to hq., 5th Corps Area, Ft. Hayes, O. W. O. Edgar Croker, from Hawaiian Dept., to asst. QM, O'Reilly Gen. Hosp., Springfield, Mo.

W. O. Walter E. Perkins, from Duncan Fld., Tex., 15 Aug., to Signal Depot, Lexington, Ky. 1st Sgt. Clyde W. Williams, demt. apptd. W. O., Reg. Army, 8 Aug., from Baltimore, Md., to 4th Motorized Div., Ft. Benning, Ga.

M. Sgt. Anthony E. Dembosky, QMC, hq., Panama Canal Dept., Quarry Heights, C. Z., apptd. W. O., Reg. Army, 8 Aug.

M. Sgt. Victor L. Hansen, Finance Sec., hq., 9th Corps Area, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., apptd. W. O., Reg. Army, 8 Aug.

M. Sgt. Paul Oed, DIEMI, Hq. det., hq., 8th Corps Area, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., apptd. W. O., Reg. Army, 8 Aug.

Norman R. Olsen, Ft. Lewis, Wash., temp. apptd. W. O. (band leader), Army of U. S., 6 Aug.

W. O. Roy J. Miller, USA-Ret., to active duty, 1 Sept., to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.

W. O. Archer B. Hays, retired, 31 Dec., 37 yrs. of service, rank of Capt.

M. Sgt. Thomas H. Finkle, FD, Hq. and HQ Co., 5th Corps Area, Ft. Hayes, O., apptd. W. O., 15 July.

RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN

M. Sgt. Michael Binder, AC, retired, Langley Fld., Va., 31 Aug.

Cpl. Francisco Pabalate, band, 21th FA (PS), retired, Ft. Stotsenburg, P. L., 31 Aug.

Cpl. Ignacio Cagumbal, Troop B., 26th Cav. (PS), retired, Ft. Stotsenburg, P. L., 31 Aug.

Cpl. Martin Pagaduan, Co. I, 45th Inf. (PS), retired, Ft. Wm. McKinley, P. L., 31 Aug.

ORDERS TO RESERVES

(Orders to active duty for one year unless otherwise stated.)

Extended Active Duty—JAGD

Capt. Axel R. Ernberg, 21 Aug., QMC, to asst. const. QM, Zone 5, Columbus, O.

Maj. Abe Goff, 25 Aug., to JAG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Axel M. Tofferson, 26 Aug., to off. of C. of S., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Paul W. Schmidt, 26 Aug., to asst. to the staff judge advocate, Alaska Defense command, Ft. Richardson, Alaska; sail Seattle, Wash.

Extended Active Duty—QMC

2nd Lt. Emory E. Leland, 21 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 6, Chicago, Ill.

Maj. Anthony F. Anish, 12 Aug., to QM Depot, Jersey City, N. J.

Maj. Victor H. Goedde, 22 Aug., to off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Norman N. Rayner, 22 Aug., to 90th Pursuit S., Tuskegee, Ala.

2nd Lt. Robert E. Robertson, Jr., prior orders revoked.

Capt. Carlyle E. Hensley, 1 Sept., to off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Noah Greenspan, 22 Aug., to asst. const., QM, Zone 2, New York.

2nd Lt. Alfred C. Jones, Jr., 22 Aug., to QM Depot, Jersey City, N. J.

2nd Lt. Robert A. Holzman, 22 Aug., to QM Depot, Chicago, Ill.

Capt. Lewis H. Lehman, prior orders revoked.

Capt. Ralph C. Steele, 25 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 3, Baltimore, Md.

2nd Lt. William M. Phillips, 27 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 6, Chicago, Ill.

1st Lt. Theodore M. Wilson, Jr., 25 Aug., to off. of QMG, Wash., D. C.

Capt. William H. Franklin, 27 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 6, Chicago, Ill.

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2nd Lt. Robert W. Kotzebue, 23 Aug., to const. QM, Zone 8, San Antonio, Tex.

2nd Lt. Wellington Gray Draper, 27 Aug., as asst. const. QM, Zone 6, Chicago, Ill.

2nd Lt. Harvey A. Kenney, 27 Aug., as asst. const. QM, Zone 6, Chicago, Ill.

2nd Lt. Emmons B. Brown, 15 Aug., to plant-protection activities, 1st Corps Area, Boston, Mass.

1st Lt. William H. Lancaster, 27 Aug., to QM Depot, Jeffersonville, Ind.

Extended Active Duty—MO

Maj. Albert G. Clark, 21 Aug., to Letterman Gen. Hosp., San Francisco, Calif.

1st Lt. Irving L. Greenberg, 21 Aug., to Lawson Gen. Hosp., Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. Ernest B. Newman, 17 Aug., to Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. Edward M. Kline, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. Samuel S. Platt, 8 Sept., to O'Reilly Gen. Hosp., Springfield, Mo.

Capt. Reno R. Porter, 1 Oct., to Lovell Gen. Hosp., Ft. Devens, Mass.

1st Lt. Phosa D. Nutter, 10 Sept., Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.

1st Lt. Samuel S. Blankstein, 8 Sept., to O'Reilly Gen. Hosp., Springfield, Mo.

1st Lt. John E. Naugle, 22 Aug., to Fitzsimmons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo.

1st Lt. Reed O. Dingman, prior orders revoked.

Capt. Mazel Skofield, 15 Aug., to Moffett Fld., Calif.

1st Lt. John J. Manning, 23 Aug., to Mather Fld., Mills, Calif.

1st Lt. Arthur P. Martini, 14 Aug., to William Beaumont Gen. Hosp., El Paso, Tex.

1st Lt. George A. Graham, 25 Aug., to Tilton Gen. Hosp., Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. Frank A. Trump, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. Thomas R. White, 19 Aug., to Army Air Base, Pendleton, Ore.

1st Lt. Jack Hartman, 26 Aug., to Army Med. Center, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Samuel S. Platt, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. William L. White, 15 Sept., to Fitzsimmons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo.

1st Lt. Owen B. Royce, 1 Sept., to O'Reilly Gen. Hosp., Springfield, Mo.

1st Lt. Peter A. Reiseron, 27 Aug., to Army Air Base, Boise, Idaho.

Extended Active Duty—DC

Capt. Leslie C. Simkins, 22 Aug., to Ft. Lawton, Wash.

1st Lt. Vladimir K. Geroff, 22 Aug., to Scott Fld., Ill.

1st Lt. Clyde H. Harling, 25 Aug., to AC Tech. Sch. Branch, Biloxi, Miss.

2nd Lt. Francis G. Hunsicker, 1 Sept., Med. Sec., Chicago QM Depot, Chicago, Ill.

Extended Active Duty—OE

Capt. John A. Silasbee, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Joseph G. Zeitlen, 21 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 4, Atlanta, Ga.

2nd Lt. Leslie E. Herbert, 21 Aug., to CWS, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

2nd Lt. Dexter W. Gaston, 22 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 4, Atlanta, Ga.

2nd Lt. Archer S. Thompson, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. William A. Mowery, 15 Sept., to off. QMG, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Seth H. Matthews, Jr., 26 Aug., to Eng. Board, Ft. Belvoir, Va.

2nd Lt. Herman C. Cuskie, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Edward B. Myrick, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Otto C. Kohler, 27 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 1, Boston, Mass.

2nd Lt. Henry J. Rugo, prior orders revoked.

Extended Active Duty—OD

Capt. Albert C. Welch, 10 Aug., to Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Capt. Robert S. Owens, 22 Aug., to Ord. Works, Radford, Va.

2nd Lt. Edwin I. Donley, 22 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Capt. Walter M. Purvis, 11 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Donald R. Hyde, 13 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Maj. Frank M. Browning, 27 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. Hiram B. Ely, 14 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Col. Henry W. Miller, 17 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

Extended Active Duty—SC

Capt. Charles T. Trego, 12 Aug., to SC Train. Film Production Lab., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Maj. Asahel S. Dillon, 12 Aug., to SC Procurement Dist., Chicago, Ill.

2nd Lt. Richard D. Wagner, 12 Aug., to Electronics Train. Group, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Capt. Frederick G. Spencer, prior orders revoked.

Extended Active Duty—CWS

1st Lt. Paul L. Barnes, 22 Aug., to CW Procur. Dist., New York.

1st Lt. Lyman Y. Burch, 23 Aug., to CW Procur. Dist., Chicago, Ill.

Capt. Guy G. Glunt, 26 Aug., to CWS Rep. Tr. Cen., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Capt. Warren W. Brown, 26 Aug., to CWS Rep. Tr. Cen., Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

1st Lt. Richard L. Foster, 27 Aug., to Train. Film Pre. Unit, Randolph Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. Everett H. Strobel, 27 Aug., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Extended Active Duty—Ch

Ch. (1st Lt.) Phillips L. Thayer, 10 Aug., to 100th Cav., Camp Livingston, La.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Elias R. Callahan, 21 Aug., to 15th Med. Reg., Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Alexander W. Whitaker, Jr., 21 Aug., to 124th Inf., Camp Blanding, Fla.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Paul J. Slavik, 19 Aug., to 131st Inf., Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Joseph Kamphuis, 22 Aug., to 35th Div., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Robert C. Goodenow, 11 Aug., to station complement, Madison Bks., N. Y.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Virgil W. Jackson, 22 Aug., to station hospital, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Ch. (1st Lt.) King D. S. Pogue, 22 Aug., to 99th CA, Camp Davis, N. C.

Ch. (Ma.) Thomas M. Carter, prior orders revoked.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Wilhelm H. Westby, 25 Aug., to 5th Armored Div., Ft. Knox, Ky.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Albert L. Smith, 15 Aug., to 97th Engr. Bn., Camp Blanding, Fla.

Ch. (Capt.) Charles F. Roberts, 26 Aug., to station hosp., Ft. Story, Va.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Joseph P. Kenny, 26 Aug., 1st Pursuit Gp., Selfridge Fld., Mich.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Henry O. Malone, 26 Aug., to station hosp., Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Gustav L. Bongfeldt, 26 Aug., to 35th Div., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Joseph V. Doyle, 26 Aug., to station complement, Ft. Hancock, N. J.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Wendell F. Ryrd, 16 Aug., to 35th Div., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Ark.

Ch. (Capt.) Hayes Farish, prior orders revoked.

Ch. (1st Lt.) Thomas A. Duross, 27 Aug., to 1st Cav. Div., Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Ch. (1st Lt.) George F. Daum, 27 Aug., to station complement, Ft. Monroe, Va.

Extended Active Duty—Cav

Lt. Col. Herbert H. Frost, 19 Aug., to 2nd Armored Div., Mansfield, La., until 15 Sept., 1941.

Capt. Charles E. Fruin, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

2nd Lt. Howard D. Jorgenson, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

Extended Active Duty—FA

Capt. Jerra Wilcox, 21 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 8, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

2nd Lt. Gordon W. McEntire, 21 Aug., to AC, Patterson Fld., Fairfield, O.

1st Lt. Albert L. McCollum, Jr., 8 Aug., to Co. G, 20th QM Regt., Ft. Sill, Okla.

2nd Lt. William O. Todd, Jr., 11 Aug., to Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Jack B. Halle, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. John Dickey, 25 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

1st Lt. Carl Deuter, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Winston L. Thornton, 26 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Fred A. Doepfers, 22 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Horace K. Calvert, 26 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Frederick C. Smith, 18 Aug., to Wright Fld., Dayton, O.

1st Lt. Edward Grumich, prior orders revoked.

2nd Lt. Neal J. Thomas, 9 Sept., to port of embarkation, New York, N. Y.

Extended Active Duty—CAC

2nd Lt. Matthew L. Rockwell, 21 Aug., to QMC, asst. const. QM, Zone 4, Chicago, Ill.

1st Lt. John C. Apparius, 18 Aug., to QMC, plant protection act., Governors Is., N. Y.

2nd Lt. Claude G. Nicholas, 22 Aug., to CA Sch., Ft. Monroe, Va.

1st Lt. James M. Railing, 23 Aug., to QM Depot, New Orleans, La.

2nd Lt. Homer R. Oldfield, Jr., 25 Aug., to Ft. Monroe, Va.

1st Lt. William Grothaus, 27 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 4, Atlanta, Ga.

Extended Active Duty—Inf

Maj. Henry P. Hoffman, 11 Aug., to QMC, asst. const. QM, San Luis Obispo, Calif.

1st Lt. Horatio O.N. Morgan, 21 Aug., to 9th Pursuit Wing, March Fld., Riverside, Calif.

1st Lt. Hubert M. Smith, 21 Aug., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

1st Lt. Herbert W. Flnke, 27 Aug., to Pat-

erson Fld., Fairfield, O.

1st Lt. Cletus F. Robbeloth, 21 Aug., to AC, Patterson Fld., Fairfield, O.

1st Lt. Herbert S. Stern, 21 Aug., to QMC, to asst. const. QM, Zone 2, New York, N. Y.

Capt. Raymond G. J. Krumsieg, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. Ervin A. Schellin, prior orders revoked.

1st Lt. John N. Brownrigg, Jr., 21 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Eugene Robinson, 21 Aug., to AC Fly. Sch., Tuskegee, Ala.

1st Lt. Strother S. Summers, Jr., 21 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. David L. Eggers, 21 Aug., to QMC, to asst. const. QM, Zone 2, New York, N. Y.

2nd Lt. Brendan J. Reilly, 21 August, to AC, Patterson Fld., Fairfield, O.

Maj. Herbert C. Taylor, 11 Aug., to CSC, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. John A. Mills, 22 Aug., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

1st Lt. Lyman G. Youngs, 22 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 7, Omaha, Neb.

1st Lt. Robert J. McLeod, 11 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. Louis H. Maler, Jr., 22 Aug., to asst. const. QM, Zone 2, New York, N. Y.

2nd Lt. John D. Borowski, 25 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

1st Lt. John Z. Olsh, 23 Aug., to Holabird QM Depot, Baltimore, Md.

2nd Lt. Otis C. Hewett, prior orders revoked.

Capt. Lorris M. Russell, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

Capt. Arthur P. Goodrich, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Lyle D. Kerley, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. William O. Krohn II, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

2nd Lt. Parker M. Cleveland, 2 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Herbert M. Bridges, 25 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

1st Lt. John A. Copeland, Jr., 25 Aug., to Motor Transport Sch., Ft. McPherson, Ga.

1st Lt. Fred E. Gerber, 25 Aug., to Army War College, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Walter F. Greenwood, 26 Aug., to Air Depot, Mobile, Ala.

1st Lt. Julian Arnold, Jr., 26 Aug., to off. C. of O., Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. Dwight F. Bartholomew, 3 Sept., to SC Rep. Tr. Cen., Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

2nd Lt. Thomas L. Gunthrop, 26 Aug., Air Depot, Fairfield, O.

2nd Lt. Robert S. Gyory, 12 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Leonard R. Einstein, 2 Sept., Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

2nd Lt. Herbert Kirchner, 2 Sept., Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

2nd Lt. Francis J. Reilly, 2 Sept., Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Hule D. Harkey, 9 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

2nd Lt. George E. Loges, 22 Aug., to Cent. AC Procure. Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Capt. Reginald W. Harris, 9 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Walter K. Frantz, Jr., 1 Sept., to Air Depot, Fairfield, O.

2nd Lt. Vernon W. Groves, 9 Sept., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

1st Lt. Richard C. Corbin, 23 Aug., to Panama Canal Dept., 13 Sept., New York.

Extended Active Duty—AC

1st Lt. Louis I. Korn, 21 Aug., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

2nd Lt. Reuben A. Brown, 21 Aug., to Maintenance Command, Patterson Fld., Fairfield, O.

2nd Lt. Robert L. Cardenas, 8 Aug., to AC Adv. Fly. Sch., Kelly Fld., San Antonio, Tex.

2nd Lt. Leon Crane, 11 Nov., Wright Fld., Dayton, O.

2nd Lt. William T. Butt, 21 Aug., to Wright Fld., Dayton, O.

Capt. William H. Thomas, 25 Aug., to Municipal Airport, Oklahoma City, Okla.

2nd Lt. John G. Green, 22 Aug., to Air Depot, Middletown, Pa.

2nd Lt. Stuart A. Warren, 22 Aug., to AC Tact. Sch., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

2nd Lt. Robert L. Rothberg, 2 Sept., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

2nd Lt. William E. Lamar, 9 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

2nd Lt. Warren F. Stubbins, 19 Aug., to Adv. Two-Engine Fly. Sch., Kelly Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. James H. Giles, Jr., 19 Aug., to Adv. Two-Engine Fly. Sch., Brooks Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. Jack D. Smith, 19 Aug., to AC Adv. Two-Engine Fly. Sch., Kelly Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. Eugene R. Engelbrecht, 19 Aug., to AC Bas. Fly. Sch., Randolph Fld., Tex.

2nd Lt. George H. Selvin, 19 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

2nd Lt. William M. Bradford, 19 Aug., to Air Depot, Fairfield, O.

2nd Lt. Donald H. Williams, 19 Aug., to Lowry Fld., Denver, Colo.

2nd Lt. Donald R. Angell, 19 Aug., to AC Bas. Fly. Sch., Macoon, Ga.

2nd Lt. Fred B. Rabenstein, 23 Aug., to Air Depot, Middletown, Pa.

1st Lt. Walter G. Edwards, 14 Aug., to AC Bas. Fly. Sch., Moffett Fld., Calif.

2nd Lt. Noel A. Wright, 11 Aug., to Langley Fld., Va.

2nd Lt. Lee C. Gatewood, Jr., 25 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

2nd Lt. Rudolf W. Hensel, prior orders revoked.

Maj. Harry F. McCaffrey, 26 Aug., to AC Tech. Sch., Chanute Fld., Ill.

2nd Lt. George W. Hard, 4 Sept., Air Depot, Fairfield, O.

2nd Lt. Richard D. Kilck, 13 Aug., AC Adv. Fly. Sch., Maxwell Fld., Ala.

Maj. John E. Davis, 15 Sept., to Wright Fld., O.

1st Lt. Eller C. Sundroph, 5 Sept., to Air Depot, Fairfield, O.

2nd Lt. Albert L. Bensusan, 27 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

2nd Lt. George W. Bailey, 19 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

2nd Lt. Robert Engelbrecht, prior orders revoked.

Maj. William F. LeBaron, 20 Aug., to AC Tech. Sch., Wichita Falls, Tex.

Capt. David L. Behncke, 27 Aug., to AC Adv. Fly. Sch., Ellington Fld., Houston, Tex.

Extended Active Duty—Spec

Maj. Ernest L. Jones, 14 Aug., to C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Lawrence O. Burress, 7 Aug., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Capt. Albert B. Deyarmond, 23 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

Maj. Bradley J. Saunders, Jr., 22 Aug., to Wright Fld., O.

Capt. Percy M. Barr, 19 Aug., to C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Jonathan T. Palmer, 25 Aug., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Capt. Charles M. Blackmon, 13 Aug., to off. of Under Sec. of War, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Nathaniel F. Silsbee, 26 Aug., to off. C. of AC, Wash., D. C.

Capt. Raymond J. McGill, 15 Aug., to Eastern AC Procurement Dist., New York, N. Y.

Capt. James D. Redding, 27 Aug., to Central AC Procurement Dist., Detroit, Mich.

Maj. Kent A. Hunter, 2 Sept., to 1st Army, Governors Is., N. Y.

Continued on Active Duty

1st Lt. Anthony M. Frantz, Jr., MC, extension of active duty revoked.

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Following SC off.: Maj. Gladstone L. Kohlman, Capt. Robert E. Hertberg, Capt. Ralph G. Taft, 1st Lt. Howard W. Herrmann, 2nd Lt. Don C. Benjamin.

Following OD off.: Capt. Frank L. Leonard, 1st Lt. Charles W. Elfer, 1st Lt. Selmer J. Espelund, 1st Lt. Robert F. Fowler, 1st Lt. George E. Hughes, 1st Lt. Robert E. Nutt, 1st Lt. John C. Wilson, 2nd Lt. Herbert D. Hamburger.

Following DC off.: Maj. Alvin D. Geffert, 1st Lt. Robert L. Arrowood, 1st Lt. George W. Bailey, 1st Lt. Robert C. Cogswell, 1st Lt. Michael J. Egan, 1st Lt. Benjamin C. Gore, 1st Lt. Harry H. Gulesian, 1st Lt. Sherman S. Gursky, 1st Lt. Roert W. Hare, 1st Lt. Ralph A. Licking, 1st Lt. Glen W. McCollum, 1st Lt. Roger W. Miller, 1st Lt. George W. Murray, 1st Lt. Medford S. Riley, 1st Lt. Winston B. Rogers, 1st Lt. Wayne W. Thornberry, 1st Lt. John J. Thurnquist.

1st Lt. Roydice Staats, MC.
Capt. Wilbur T. Jones, Inf.
Capt. Laurie F. Hess, QMC.

Following off., now with AC: Maj. William Halley, Inf.; Capt. Harold S. Boston, Inf.; 1st Lt. Dean C. Bibbons, Inf.; 1st Lt. Winston C. Levens, FA; 1st Lt. Jacob Seiden, Inf.; 1st Lt. Leonard B. Taylor, Inf.; Capt. Curtis M. Anderson, Inf.; Capt. Louis Buttner, Cav.; Capt. Norman L. Geldel, CAC; Capt. Firman K. Hayman CAC; 1st Lt. Robert W. Lewis, Cav.

Following QMC off.: Maj. James H. Carroll; 1st Lt. Nello B. Waldron; 2nd Lt. Allan M. Acomb; 2nd Lt. Charles C. Ames; 2nd Lt. James McL. Clow; 2nd Lt. Edward H. Martin, Jr.; 2nd Lt. Jack L. Stinson; Maj. Walter H. Daub; Capt. James E. Conover; Capt. Carl Y. Farrell; Capt. Reese F. Hill; Capt. Horace G. Smith; 1st Lt. John S. Corcoran; 1st Lt. Mark C. Fox.

Following AC off.: Capt. Raymond A. Nelson; 1st Lt. Rudolph E. Hegdahl; 1st Lt. Bruce E. Slicher; and Lt. Richard J. Wade.

Following SC off.: Maj. Lewis H. Barnes, Capt. Harry I. Marks, 1st Lt. Verner C. Aurrell 1st Lt. Leo Rosen, 2nd Lt. Theodore W. Parsons.

Following OD 1st Lts.: Francis C. Crotty, James T. Ewell, Jr., Charles G. Gibbons, Walter P. Green, Jr., Andrew G. Hamon, William E. Hill, William F. Kaiser, Wilbur LeR. Lafan, Jr., John F. Lane, Francis W. Looney, John N. Lytle, James I. McCaskill, Thomas J. Moore, Jr., Matthew McL. Murphy, Jr., Rawlings S. Poole, Stephen F. Roach, Kermit J. Roderberg.

Following CWS off.: 1st Lt. Allan C. Hamblen, 1st Lt. Harold H. H. Henius, 1st Lt. George E. Motz, 1st Lt. Abner White, 2nd Lt. Benjamin R. Blier, 2nd Lt. Lawrence Perkins.

Following PD off.: Maj. Thomas P. Gilmore, Maj. Algernon A. Moxley, Capt. Martin Lantau, 1st Lt. Philip Feinberg, 1st Lt. Orville A. Lesley, 1st Lt. Hilton C. Nichols.

Following MC off.: Maj. Otto Richard Brown, Capt. Harold J. Bradley, Capt. William P. Burpean; 1st Lts. Jack P. Burnett, Donald A. Corgill, Julius D. Damian, Paul R. Hamel, Rogers Hederick, Guy L. Loranger, Joseph F. Melancon, Sidney C. Seikovits.

Following AC off.: 2nd Lt. Roland Huntington Rne, 2nd Lt. Walter H. Ellis, 2nd Lt. Murdoch W. Campbell, 2nd Lt. James K. Johnson, 2nd Lt. John H. Brown.

Following OD off.: 2nd Lt. Frederick G. Hauser, 2nd Lt. Edward N. Bewley, 2nd Lt. Robert L. Cornell, 2nd Lt. Charles E. Dettmann, 2nd Lt. Robert B. Staver.

Following OD off.: 1st Lt. Harvey S. Borman, 1st Lt. Newton S. Butz, 1st Lt. Arthur V. Deal, 1st Lt. John J. McInerney, 1st Lt. Winton D. Woods.

Following DC off.: 1st Lt. Clell S. Caldwell, 1st Lt. Edgar B. Erard, Jr., 1st Lt. William Reifani, 1st Lt. Walter B. White.

Following MC off.: 1st Lt. Herbert W. Coone, 1st Lt. James M. Crawford, 1st Lt. Walton M. Edwards, 1st Lt. Robert M. Holland, 1st Lt. George V. Potter, 1st Lt. Herschel J. Rubin.

Following OD off.: Capt. Leon Adler, Capt. Joseph C. Fitzgerald, Capt. William C. Kobza, Capt. Richard F. Mullins, Capt. Richard P. Stauffer, Capt. Laurence P. Warner.

Following Ch. off.: Ch. (Capt.) Noel T. Adams; Ch. (Capt.) Frank R. Arnold; Ch. (Capt.) Richard Braunstein; Ch. (Capt.) Ernest E. Fells; Ch. (Capt.) William P. Hardegree.

Capt. Melville V. Popelar, MC.

Following VC off.: Capt. George A. Kuhn, 1st Lt. George H. Brumby, Jr., 1st Lt. Fernley W. Ducey.

Following MAC off.: Capt. Albert Herrmann, Capt. Henry C. Winn, 1st Lt. Malcolm E. Beckham, 1st Lt. Harry E. Gunn, 1st Lt. Joseph W. Mollan, 2nd Lt. Arthur F. Bailey, 2nd Lt. Charles D. Eskridge, Jr., 2nd Lt. Frank M. Kramer.

Following CWS off.: Capt. Adam W. Meetze, 1st Lt. Edward J. Hogg, 1st Lt. Warren S. LeRoy, 1st Lt. Theodore W. Lewis, 2nd Lt. Albert N. Harrison.

Following San. C. off.: Col. William A. Hardenbergh, Capt. Philander B. Taylor, 1st Lt. George P. Luippold, 1st Lt. Charles E.

Peres, Jr.

Following OD off.: Lt. Col. Edward S. Greenbaum, 2nd Lt. George H. Baxter, 2nd Lt. Louis E. Reilly, 2nd Lt. John L. Tange-man, Maj. Kenneth C. Brown, Maj. George E. Mason, Maj. William H. Weingar.

Following SC off.: Lt. Col. Guy N. Church, Lt. Col. John C. Mechem, Maj. Frank E. Eldredge, Maj. John R. Todd, Capt. William M. McClanahan, Capt. Dale A. Newlin, 1st Lt. Hirma E. Flite, 1st Lt. Philip D. Grover.

Following OD off.: Maj. Edward J. Thomas, Capt. Edward H. Cahill, 1st Lt. Robert G. Chasen, 1st Lt. Herbert H. Ferguson, 1st Lt. Wilbur A. Gish, 1st Lt. Roland T. Hykes, 1st Lt. Edward P. Zelms, 2nd Lt. Vincent E. Bender, 2nd Lt. Woodward H. Warrick.

Following FD off.: Maj. Brobert L. Brightwell, Capt. Lew D. Wallace, 2nd Lt. Albert M. Dixon.

Following off.: Maj. Frank G. Ketcham, QMC; Maj. Earl J. Kleckner, FD; Capt. John C. Brumbaugh, SC; Capt. John W. Farrell, FD; Capt. William H. Mattox, QMC.

Following 1st Lts., Inf.: Herbert H. Ball, Donald G. Riedesel.

Following off. now with AC: Maj. Reginald C. Harmon, JAGD; Maj. Earl B. Wixcey, Spec.; Capt. George L. Oliver, MAC; Capt. Lewis R. Stretch, Cav.; Capt. Francis C. Virucrie, Jr., Spec.; Capt. Samuel Yachnin, MC.

Following 1st Lts., now with AC: Raymond J. Morse, Inf.; William M. Moulton, Inf.; Donald W. Painter, CAC; Robert P. Tatum, Inf.; John K. Waggoner, Inf.; Elbert E. Wilson, Inf.

1st Lt. Waldemar A. Wittmus, SC.

Following off., now with the AC: 1st Lt. George LeR. Boyer, FA; 1st Lt. Arthur M. Clark, Inf.; 1st Lt. John P. Dougery, Inf.; 1st Lt. Elbert E. Inman, Inf.; 2nd Lt. Sidney S. Donaldson, Inf.; 2nd Lt. Paul F. Kirkpatrick, Inf.; 2nd Lt. James T. Lang, CAC.

Following Inf. off.: Lt. Col. Edward B. Turner, 1st Lt. Gilbert E. Bursley, 1st Lt. Harace N. Callahan, 1st Lt. Daniel K. Moore, 2nd Lt. Siegfried F. Gronich.

Following Chaplains (1st Lts.): Archie D. Clark, Jr., Horace O. Johnson, Clifton R. Pond.

Following off., MC: Lt. Col. Clarence P. Baxter, 1st Lt. George F. Adams, 1st Lt. Joseph G. Sirken.

Ch. (Capt.) William B. Estes, 1st Lt. George M. Knauf, MC, 1st Lt. Britton L. Gordon, OD, Capt. William J. Power, DC, 1st Lt. Amore D. Gludice, MC.

Following off.: 1st Lt. Benjamin D. Blood, VC; 1st Lt. George R. Hansen, QMC; 1st Lt. Paul M. Kegan, Inf.; 1st Lt. Nolan Page, CE; 1st Lt. James W. Seltzer, Jr., CAC.

Letters to the Editor

Open Letter to the Members of the USNA Alumni Association:

The ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL is in receipt of the following "Open Letter" from Mr. W. H. McGrann, of 120 Broadway, New York City, concerning the Proposed Amendments to Alumni By-Laws printed in July Shipmate.

"Inasmuch as I acted as Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to By-Laws, and inasmuch as I submitted a 'minority' report, and have now formally cast my vote in disapproval of adoption of the said proposed By-Laws, I ask the privilege of stating as briefly as may be possible the reasons which impelled me to vote against their adoption, as follows:

"1. It is a matter of record that the said Amendments did not receive the approval of a three-fourths vote of the full Board (Trustees), Article IX, Section 1, existing By-Laws. The possible maximum vote was eight (8) Trustees only against the eighteen (18) required. Indeed, I do not concede that there were even as many as eight (8) votes cast in favor of these proposed Amendments. The conclusion is irrefutable that the proposed Amendments were irregularly and unlawfully projected to the membership at large, therefore.

"2. The movement to amend the existing By-Laws arose by reason of uncertainty in the present method of Election and Voting. The proposed Amendments do not clarify the existing By-Laws, nor fulfill the object of appointment of the Committee, leaving this important subject still indefinite, and inadequate.

"3. By omission of Section 2 of Article I of the present By-Laws, it is obvious that a great majority of the present members would have to apply specially for restoration of membership. That omission is a fatal error.

"4. The important subject of giving non-graduates a 'right' to membership, instead of making their prospective membership a burdened 'privilege,' is to my mind a grave mistake. As the matter stands, very few of the non-graduates will know or be informed of the restrictive provision of the now proposed By-Laws. [See Article I, Sections 2 and 3; and, proposed application for membership as set forth in July Shipmate.

"5. Although Article III, Section 1, proposed Amendments, provides for 'twenty-seven

Trustees,' it is not explained why there should be three (3) additional Trustees (twenty-four [24] at present). My 'minority' report contemplated the addition of three (3) Trustees so that those Officers holding the offices of Chief of Naval Operations, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, and Superintendent of the Naval Academy, and their successors, should be made *ex officio* Trustees, so that they would not be subjected to the possible embarrassment of being nominated individually, and not elected; also, a *fortiori*, in order that there might be always a certain representation of the Active Officers, on the Board.

"There are other minor omissions, and loosely drawn provisions, but the foregoing major points form sufficient reasons for my own rejection of the now proposed Amendments to the By-Laws.

Very truly yours,

W. H. McGrann, Trustee.

"P. S. The following is an extract from the official 'Minutes' of the Trustees' meeting of 27 June 1941:

"There was presented to the Trustees two reports of this Committee. One called the majority report and the other minority report. (See Appendix).

"Daisley moved that the majority report of the changes in the By-Laws be accepted and put into effect subject to the approval of the members.

"A great deal of discussion took place about the changes in By-Laws; but it was felt that the majority report should be adopted so that the major changes could go into effect as soon as possible.

"McGrann then moved that the President appoint a committee of three members, none of whom were members of the previous committee, and that this committee is to conciliate the majority and the minority reports and report their recommendations, if any, at the next meeting of the Trustees, consideration to be given in dividing up Trustees into groups. Guthrie seconded the motion, and the Trustees unanimously passed it."

W. H. McGrann.

Plants on Arlington Graves

Editor, ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL:

Plants placed upon graves at Arlington Cemetery by members of the Army and Navy Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, were missing, and it was feared had been stolen.

An investigation by the Regent, Mrs. Hubert E. Paddock, and one of the Chapter members, Mrs. Benjamin B. Seawall, disclosed the fact that the plants had been removed by attendants at the cemetery because of a ruling contained in a pamphlet issued by the War Department, Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army, dated 1 November 1940, entitled "Information Regarding Arlington National Cemetery."

Since this information has undoubtedly escaped the attention of many service people, the Army and Navy Chapter has requested the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL to publish Section III, article 30 of the above mentioned pamphlet.

Section III. Plants, Vases, Chairs

"30. The indiscriminate distribution of markers, vases, plants, and other obstructions and ornaments, according to fancy, is not in harmony with a military cemetery, where dignity, simplicity, and uniformity of arrangements should be the prevailing features. In the future, therefore, relatives or friends will not be permitted to place any vase or other receptacle for cut flowers, either sunken or above ground, urn, tub, hanging basket, or other fixture intended for plants, or any chair, settee, or other obstruction upon any lot or grave site in Arlington National Cemetery; neither will any trees, shrubs, ivy, or other plants of any character or description be permitted on such burial lot or grave site or at the base of monuments or markers. Violation of this regulation will result in the removal of such articles. Cut flowers may, however, be placed upon the grave at any time."

Mildred M. Paddock (Mrs. H. E.)

Regent, Army and Navy Chapter,

D. A. R.

The Negro and Defense

"This is a national crisis. America needs every element of her population, and every element of her population needs America." Thus spoke Under Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson during the "Negro and the Army" broadcast this week.

Summarizing the Negro's contribution to national defense, Judge Patterson stated that there are 80,000 Negroes in the Army, including more than 400 commissioned officers and that 56 nurses are now being trained for duty. He explained that for the first time in American his-

tory there is a Negro brigadier general, Benjamin O. Davis, and that Negroes are serving in all branches of the service.

RCA Research Laboratories

Ground breaking ceremonies were held last week at Princeton, N. J., for the new Research Laboratories of the Radio Corporation of America. When completed, the buildings being erected on a site of approximately 250 acres will house the world's outstanding center for radio and electronic research.

Before turning the first spadeful of earth at the ceremonies, Otto S. Schairer, vice-president in charge of the laboratories, said, "It is a solemn thought that the most pressing and immediate task of the laboratories to be erected here will be to defend freedom by applying the resources of radio and electronic science to the urgent problem of national defense."

Mr. Schairer emphasized, however, that the greatest usefulness of radio was in the time of peace, not of war. He pointed out that the laboratories would carry on extensive research in all fields of radio and electronic research.

General Mauborgne To Retire

The War Department announced this week that Maj. Gen. Joseph O. Mauborgne, Chief Signal Officer of the Army, would retire on his own application on 30 Sept. 1941. His four year term of office as Chief Signal Officer will expire on that date. No successor to General Mauborgne has as yet been announced. However, Brig. Gen. Dawson Olmstead has been brought to Washington to serve as acting Chief Signal Officer.

General Mauborgne was born in New York City, and was appointed a second lieutenant of Infantry on 2 March 1903. He served at various points in the United States and the Philippine Islands with Infantry and Signal Corps organizations prior to the World War. From 1917 to 1921 he was Chief of the Engineering and Research Division in the Office of the Chief Signal Officer of the Army. During this period he served for a time in Paris in connection with the International Radio Conference.

Subsequent to the war General Mauborgne served as Commanding Officer, Signal Corps Laboratory, Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C., and as radio expert before the War Claims Arbitrator. He also served for a time as Director of the Aircraft Radio Laboratory at Wright Field, Ohio. General Mauborgne has been Chief Signal Officer of the Army since 1 Oct. 1937. He is a graduate of the Army Signal School and of the Army War College. For outstanding service during the World War, he received the Distinguished Service Medal.

Disabled Reservists' Benefit

Legislation to give retired pay and hospitalization to a group of about 50 Reserve officers disabled on extended active duty between 28 Feb. 1925 and 1939 was passed by the Senate this week.

The Senate clarified the wording of the bill, H. R. 3484, already passed by the House.

The legislation was designed to bring under the retirement law officers on duty before passage in 1939 of legislation providing for hospitalization of Reserve officers injured on active duty.

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LIEUTENANT General Hugh A. Drum, Commanding the First Army, and Maj. Gen. Irving J. Phillipson, Commanding the Second Corps Area, have announced plans for the high-goal polo match and military exhibition which will feature Army Relief Day at Governor's Island, on Saturday, 6 Sept. The event will bring together service folk and the socially prominent. Mrs. Drum and Mrs. Phillipson will entertain box holders at a reception and tea at the Officer's Club immediately following the match and the retreat parade.

Some of those who will act as sponsors and will hold boxes are the Secretary of War and Mrs. Henry L. Stimson, the Under Secretary of War and Mrs. Robert P. Patterson, the Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. John J. McCloy, Assistant Secretary of War for Air and Mrs. Robert A. Lovett, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. James G. Harbord, Brig. Gen. John S. Borden, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Francis R. Appleton, Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Junius Spencer Morgan, also Mr. Bernard Baruch, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Field, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Strawbridge, Jr., and many more, so that the fund for the dependent widows of Regular Army officers and enlisted men bids fair to assume encouraging proportions.

Gen. John A. Hull was host at a dinner party Sunday evening in compliment to Mr. Clary Merrell, for twenty years vice consul at Hamilton, Bermuda, and Mrs. Merrell, who stopped off in Washington enroute to his new post at Hamilton, Ontario.

Not only were they cordially welcomed in Washington where they have many friends, but Mr. and Mrs. Merrell were given a gala send off in Bermuda, and among those who gave parties for them were Col. and Mrs. Alden G. Strong with their pretty daughter, Nancy. Colonel Strong is now in command at Castle Harbor. They were also entertained by Capt. Jules James, commandant of the United States Naval Operating Base in Bermuda, and Mrs. James, who is a niece of Secretary of War Stimson.

Col. and Mrs. James L. Underhill, USMC, entertained at a cocktail party Monday for his brother, Col. Louis K. Underhill, USA, who commands the post at Camp Wolters, Texas.

The Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps and Mrs. Holcomb have spent the week at Rosecroft, their newly acquired estate on the lower Potomac, which they are renovating to suit their needs.

Taking a leaf from the book of their close friends, General and Mrs. Holcomb, Col. and Mrs. DeWitt Peck newly arrived

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from China, have also bought a summer place on the Potomac. Theirs is at Indian Head, and they are in the joyful throes of putting it in order for week-end hospitality for their many friends.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. A. L. Becker gave a buffet supper Friday evening for Miss Evelyn Patrick and Mr. Robert Williams, who are to be married today. Mrs. Becker is to be matron of honor at the wedding which will take place at St. John's Episcopal Church in Bethesda, at which the bridegroom's father, the Rev. Joseph Williams will officiate.

The bride is the daughter of Capt. H. G. Patrick, USN, and Mrs. Patrick.

Maj. and Mrs. R. W. Stewart Richardson of the British Embassy entertained at a luncheon Sunday last for Wing Comdr. D. F. Anderson, air attache of the Embassy, and Mrs. Anderson. The party took place at the Golf and Tennis Club at White Sulphur Springs.

Admiral and Mrs. A. C. Pickens and Ensign Arthur Bryant are among those at Great Barrington, Mass., today to attend the wedding of Miss Ruth de Windt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delano de Windt, and Mr. Archibald R. Hoxton, Jr.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Merritt W. Ireland, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Amos A. Fries, Col. and Mrs. Bolivar Lloyd, Col. George Unmatch, Col. and Mrs. Charles C. Allen, Col. and Mrs. John A. Smith, Col. and Mrs. Arthur J. Perry, Capt. and Mrs. Charles F. Roberts and Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. James B. Guthrie were among the guests of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Edwin Lee White for Lt. and Mrs. J. A. Burgess at a buffet garden party, Monday evening.

Lt. Col. Joel F. Watson, USA, and Mrs. Watson, after four years service in Washington, left Thursday for the West Coast. He is being transferred back to the Presidio at San Francisco, where his last tour of duty was before coming to the Capital, and regrets at leaving Washington are tempered with congratulations on going back to other friends and acquaintances. Enroute, they will visit their son and daughter-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. Albert Watson at Ft. Riley. Colonel Watson has been assigned as Judge Advocate of the Fourth Army.

From Ft. Riley will come Lt. Col. Wayland R. Augur, and Mrs. Augur, he having been assigned to GHQ at the Army War College. While house hunting they will stay with Lt. Col. and Mrs. Edward H. Brooks, 406 Fairfax Road, Bethesda, Md. Miss Betty Brooks and her brother, Ted, are spending the summer at the family summer cottage in the lake country of New Hampshire. He is a second classman at the Military Academy.

Comdr. Robert P. Parsons, USN, having been ordered to duty at Portsmouth, N. H., he and Mrs. Parsons and their daughters, Martha and Margot, have left for their new station.

Col. Macker Babb, USMC, and Mrs. Babb, have gone to their happy summer hunting ground at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., and are again located at Monterey Inn. Capt. Frank K. Hill, USN-Ret., is also at the Inn.

Mrs. Roy T. Cowdrey, wife of Comdr. Cowdrey, and their sons, Midshipman Roy Cowdrey on leave from the Naval Academy, and Edmund, have returned to Washington from an outing at Bay Shore, L. I. Mrs. Cowdrey will later make another visit on Long Island.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. George H. Brett will have with them for a month at their home in Washington, their daughter, Mrs. B. S. Schriever, whose husband, Capt. Schriever (AC) USA, is taking a special course at Stanford University in Calif.

Mrs. Louis Little, wife of the Com- (Please turn to Page 1442)



MRS. WALTER F. WINTON, JR., who before her marriage 23 July to Lieutenant Winton, son of Col. and Mrs. Walter F. Winton, was Miss Billie Raymond, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Harold C. Raymond, 40th Field Artillery.

Weddings and Engagements

In a beautiful setting, the first all-service wedding upon the island of Puerto Rico took place Sunday afternoon, 10 Aug., at three o'clock at the Borinquen Field post chapel when Miss Vivian C. Igneo, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Robert Victor Igneo, became the bride of Lt. Louis B. Grossmith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Grossmith of Berkeley, Calif.

The bride, who wore an exquisite princess gown of white mousseline de sole with finger-tip veil crested by two white orchids, was given in marriage by her father, Lieutenant Colonel Igneo, the commanding officer of Borinquen Field. She carried a prayer book and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Neil B. Harding, a close friend, was the matron of honor.

Preceding the bridal procession were two attractive flower girls, the Misses Helen Harding and Dinah Brown.

Other attendants were Miss Mary W. Beverly, Mrs. James D. Garcia, Mrs. Kenneth O. Sanborn, Mrs. C. W. Cecil, Mrs. Campbell H. Gould, and Mrs. Thomas S. Jeffery.

Lieutenant Grossmith had as his best man Vincent A. Igneo, brother of the bride, and six well known officers of Borinquen Field all in full dress white uniforms and carrying sabres in their role of ushers. They were Maj. Neil B. Harding, Capt. C. W. Cecil, Capt. K. O. Sanborn, Lt. T. F. Jeffery, Lt. J. W. Bradock and Lt. Campbell H. Gould.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fr. McCann of Aguadilla, P. R. The musical selections of Schubert's Serenade and Ave Maria were given by Mrs. D. E. Barnett, aided by a male choir.

Following the wedding an elaborate reception was held at the Borinquen Field Officer's Club. Approximately 400 guests from San Juan, Ponce and all sections of the Island attended. The rooms were magnificently decorated with live palms, orchids, gardenias and many other native flowers. These decorations were directed by Mrs. C. V. Haynes.

A buffet dinner was served and music for dancing was furnished during the afternoon by the post orchestra. The wedding cake, which was composed of six tiers, weighed two hundred pounds.

At each side of the wedding cake were growing orchids. One of these orchids is a rare and unclassified specimen and immediately following the wedding this plant was shipped to the botanical department of Harvard University at Cam-

bridge, Mass., for classification.

During the early evening the couple left by plane for a wedding trip and are expected to return in about two weeks.

The bride, a native of Lexington, Virginia, attended Lady of the Lake at San Antonio, Huntington College at Montgomery, Ala. and College of St. Elizabeth in New Jersey. She is a member of the Army Daughters, Colonial Dames, Daughters of the American Revolution and the Daughters of the Confederacy. She lived at Mitchel Field, Long Island, N. Y., before coming to Puerto Rico where she has resided since March, 1940.

Lieutenant Grossmith is a native of Berkeley, Calif. and attended the College of the Pacific at Stockton, Calif. He is a member of the Rho Lambda Phi fraternity and received his commission at Kelly Field on 11 May 1940. He served at Langley Field before arriving at Borinquen Field where the couple will make their home after the return from their honeymoon.

At a small dinner in the Baker Hotel, Dallas, Tex., on 2 Aug., Mrs. Stuart C. MacDonald, wife of Lieutenant Colonel MacDonald, USA, announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Anne Bradford, to Lt. Robert Niles Denniston, USA.

Miss Bradford is the only daughter of Mrs. MacDonald and Lt. Col. W. Brooks Bradford of Ft. Riley, Kansas. She was a student last year at Kansas University, where she was pledged to Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Lieutenant Denniston, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Post Denniston of Ithaca, N. Y., was graduated in 1937 from Cornell University, where he was a member of Scabbard and Blade, and Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

The wedding will take place some time this Fall at Camp Wolters, Texas.

Col. and Mrs. Harry H. Pattison, 737 Bryant Street, Palo Alto, Calif., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Lola, to Lt. Oliver Burtis Taylor, A.C. at Palo Alto, 3 Aug., 1941. Lieutenant and Mrs. Taylor will live at 304 West Roosevelt Street, Phoenix, Ariz., where he is on duty at Luke Field.

Announcement was made last week of the engagement of Miss Antoinette Smith, daughter of Mrs. Allen Smith, of Chelton avenue, Catonsville, and the late Col. Allen Smith, to Mr. Paul Scott Fansler, son of Mrs. Percival Elliott Fansler, of Newberg avenue, Catonsville, and the late Mr. Fansler.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Frederick Reid Laferty announced the engagement of their daughter, Lucile Gray, to Lt. James Ray Spurrier, Cav., at a cocktail party given on Saturday 26 July, at their home, 1530 (Please turn to Page 1442)

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Miss Dorothy and Muriel Thurber, daughters of Col. and Mrs. Philip T. Thurber of Gibson Island, Md., are the guests of Col. and Mrs. Schwarzwald for several weeks.

Mrs. Robert C. Tripp left on Saturday to visit her mother Mrs. J. M. Spencer of Boston, Mass.

Capt. and Mrs. E. J. Messinger and their children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Mitchell, Philadelphia, Pa.

They will spend some time in Seaside Heights, N. J., before returning to the Post. The Misses Betty and Katherine Barr of Baltimore, Md. are the house guests of Maj. J. M. Moore and Mrs. Moore.

Miss Frances Todd of San Francisco, Cal. is spending the week-end with Capt. and Mrs. J. B. Davidson.

Guests for Camp Illumination of Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Booth were Miss Jacqueline Brimmer, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. H. W. Brimmer of Fort Leonard Wood, and Miss Joan Arnold, daughter of Col. and Mrs. A. V. Arnold, who are at their summer home at Cranberry Lake, N. Y. Mrs. Booth's mother and sister, Mrs. Robert R. Ralston and Miss Betty Ralston of Washington, D. C. will visit them for several weeks.

On their way to Nova Scotia, Canada, Gen. and Mrs. A. J. Boley were the guests of Col. and Mrs. Freeman Boley for several days.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

12 August 1941

Reservations are now being made for a bridge and mah jong party to be given in the quarters of Rear Adm. and Mrs. Russell Willson, Friday afternoon, for the benefit of the Navy Women's Defense activities and the Navy Women's Community Home. Those who will assist Mrs. Willson are Mrs. A. T. Church, Mrs. Robert H. Kerr, Mrs. Douglas Howard, Mrs. Smith Hempstone, Mrs. C. L. Austin and Mrs. H. A. Baldrige. Mrs. Kemp Christian is chairman of the advisory board for the new Navy Women's Home, and the board members are Mesdames Russell Willson, Roswell Blair, A. T. Church, H. A. Baldrige, C. L. Austin, Richard L. Walnwright, Smith Hempstone, C. J. Zondrak, and Robert H. Kerr.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. John F. Meigs have returned to their home on Southgate Ave., after several weeks' vacation, cruising on Chesapeake Bay.

Lt. and Mrs. Jack Williams and their daughter, Carol, are visiting Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. James Ferguson, at her home on King George St.

Comdr. and Mrs. John Murray Thornton left last week for New York City, where they will be at the Waldorf-Astoria for a few days.

Mrs. Curtin, widow of Capt. Roland Curtin, USN, has returned to Carvel Hall after visiting her brother-in-law and sister Admiral and Mrs. Charles E. Courtney on Long Island.

Miss Mary Ellen Keester, daughter of Comdr. and Mrs. George B. Keester, left this week for Pensacola, Fla., where she will visit her brother-in-law and sister, Ensign and Mrs. E. W. Wood.

Comdr. and Mrs. T. S. Combs of Washington, spent the weekend here as guests of Lt. and Mrs. Paul Miller.

LONG BEACH, CALIF.

10 August 1941

Arrival of Mrs. Husband E. Kimmel, wife of the Commander in Chief of the United States Fleet, has been the signal for several parties or outings the past week arranged in her honor. Mrs. E. A. Gendreau presided Wednesday over a smartly-appointed luncheon in Pacific Coast Club. Mrs. Harold Train invited Mrs. Kimmel and Mrs. Isaac Kidd, wife of Rear Admiral Kidd, to motor with her to Laguna Beach, Tuesday, for dinner at the Victor Hugo and to witness interesting events connected with the annual Festival of Art in Laguna.

Mrs. Kimmel attended the luncheon Tuesday in the Leland Terrace Room of the Army and Navy Club as guest of honor when Officers' Wives Club had its August affair. Included among the 75 present were wives of high ranking Army officers living temporarily in Long Beach, Mrs. W. D. Geary, wife of Colonel Geary; Mrs. Joseph Herron, wife of Colonel Herron, USA-Ret.; Mrs. Jack Cook, wife of Lieutenant Colonel Cook; Mrs. Lawler, wife of Major Lawler, and Mrs. James J. Mead, wife of Colonel Mead, USMC. Mrs. Carleton I. Wood had charge of arrangements. Several friends were invited by Mrs. Kimmel to accept her hospitality at an informal luncheon one day during the week, Britanny Kitchen of Wayside Colony being chosen by the hostess. Guests were Mrs. Kidd, Mrs. Thomas J. Kelly of the Campbell Hotel, where Mrs. Kimmel is making her headquarters again after her visit on the East Coast, Mrs. Franklin Van Valkenburgh and her daughter, Mrs. L. Leonard.

Mrs. L. A. Ambleromble tarried briefly at the Pacific Coast Club between her arrival here from Honolulu and her departure Friday by motor for San Francisco. She has been in the islands since last February and plans to

return to Long Beach in the near future, after a stay in San Francisco.

Mrs. Ralph R. Robinson and her small daughter, Susan Belle, are booked to sail on the Mariposa for Honolulu. Mrs. Harold Shannon left Friday for the voyage across on the Lurline, after having resided for several months in Los Angeles.

FT. SAM HOUSTON, TEX.

11 August 1941

The Troops of this Second Division have practically all moved out for maneuver grounds in Louisiana, under the command of Maj. Gen. John Greely. The new post commander is Col. C. K. Nulsen, Inf., who has a force of three thousand troops (service units).

The new chief of staff of the Third Army is Col. Dwight D. Eisenhower, who has recently come here from Ft. Lewis, Wash.

One of the very lovely social affairs this week was a luncheon given by Mrs. George Dillman in honor of Mrs. Kinzie Edmunds and Mrs. Cuyler Clark, recent arrivals at Ft. Sam Houston. It was a Mexican luncheon at La Fonda on Tuesday, 5 Aug. About thirty guests enjoyed her hospitality.

Maj. Gen. Richard Donovan, commanding the Eighth Corps Area, accompanied by Maj. Julian C. Hyer and Lt. Earl D. Massey, ADC, attended the Inauguration of Texas' new Governor, Coke Stevenson in Austin, Friday, 8 Aug.

Among the many house-guests at Ft. Sam Houston, are Mrs. George W. Mundy and daughter, Janice, of Eglin Field, Fla., at the home of her parents, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Beaumont B. Buck. Major Mundy is a military observer in London, England.

Miss M. Leonard from Quebec, Canada, where she attended Laval University, is spending part of her vacation with her father and mother, Col. and Mrs. J. W. Leonard.

Mrs. William Nevitt, the popular Anne Lawton, is with her parents, until September.

A very delightful gathering of the "sabbath" group, was held at the quarters of Col. and Mrs. Sam White, when Miss Peggy White entertained for her guest Miss Virlan MacLaughlin of Kansas City, whom she has since accompanied home for a few weeks visit.

The Army Wives Luncheon and Bridge Club, met at the Ft. Sam Houston Officers Mess, at noon Thursday, with a large attendance.

FT. McPHERSON, GA.

11 August 1941

Among new arrivals in Ft. McPherson are Col. and Mrs. Frederick S. Strong, jr.

Colonel Strong is Fourth Corps Area Constructing Quartermaster.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Frank Richards with their son Bill, and daughter Margaret are recent arrivals.

Mrs. Robert Nichols has been delightfully entertained in Savannah, Ga., where she visited the family of her brother, Dana Stevens on the Isle of Hope. Mr. Stevens is commodore of the Savannah Yacht Club, and his own entry "Skylark" was sailed by his son, Henry Stevens.

Mrs. Frank Oliver (Corrinne Stevens) returned to Ft. McPherson to spend the week-end with Colonel and Mrs. Nichols. Captain Oliver is stationed in South Dakota.

Maj. and Mrs. Elmer Rogers, AC, left recently for their new station in Washington, D. C.

Capt. and Mrs. Albert E. Stoltz are new arrivals in Atlanta, and have purchased a home on Wildwood Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Munro Averett of Atlanta, Ga., announce the engagement of their daughter, Katherine Hill, to Lt. Renben Benjamin Kimbrough, USA, of Ft. Knox, Ky., formerly of Chipley and Columbus, Ga.

The wedding to take place on 12 Sept. in Columbus, Ga.

NORFOLK, VA.

14 August 1941

Lt. and Mrs. Gordon A. Griffin were hosts on Friday afternoon at a cocktail party given at their home in Meadowbrook, in honor of Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Philip R. Coffin and Lt. and Mrs. John Thompson Brown, 3rd. Lt. Comdr. Coffin who until recently was in command of Fighting Squadron 71 has been succeeded by Lieutenant Brown.

The officers of the USS Harry Lee and their wives entertained Saturday night at a dinner given in the Officers' Club, Naval Base.

During the dinner, a gift was presented to Lt. and Mrs. Leslie Robertson Phalen whose marriage took place recently. Mrs. Phalen is the former Miss Cecilia Callista Hiskman. The dinner preceded the regular week-end dance at the club and covers were laid for 25.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. John E. Wymond were hosts on Saturday afternoon at a mint julep party given at their quarters in the Naval Base. Their guests numbered about eighty.

Mrs. Ralph J. Arnold entertained Friday at a bridge luncheon and linen shower given at her quarters in the Naval Base in honor of Miss Gwendolyn Spratt whose marriage to Lt. (jg) John M. De Vane, Jr., USN, will be an event of the early fall. Mrs. Arnold's guests played contract at two tables.

Mrs. Samuel Adams, wife of Lieutenant Adams, and Mrs. John L. Nielson, wife of

Lieutenant Nielson, entertained Friday at a luncheon given at the Officers Club, Naval Base, for the wives of officers of Bombing Squadron 5.

Mrs. Keith E. Taylor entertained Wednesday at a bridge luncheon given at the Officers Club, Naval Base, in honor of her sister, Miss Kathryn Schoenky of Swampscott, Mass., who is her guest. Covers were laid for eight and the other guests were Mrs. Albert R. Weldon, Mrs. Joe L. Bettinger, jr., Mrs. John H. S. Johnson, Mrs. Ray Davis, Mrs. Louis K. Bliss and Mrs. William S. Guest.

Honor Admiral Remy

In memory of the late Rear Admiral George Collier Remy, U.S.N., who was born on 10 Aug. 1841, St. Matthew's Church, Jamestown, R. I., was especially decorated with flowers last Sunday, 10 Aug. 1941. The eleven o'clock service that morning was conducted by the Right Rev. James de Wolf Perry, Bishop of Rhode Island, (formerly the presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church) assisted by the Rev. John H. Wright, Rector of St. Matthew's and was attended by a large congregation of local and summer residents.

Admiral and Mrs. Remy spent many summers in Jamestown. A year ago two windows in their memory were dedicated in St. Matthew's Church. Today these memorials were banked with flowers.

The afternoon of 10 Aug. Admiral Remy's daughters, Miss Angelica Gear Remy and Mrs. John W. Wadleigh, assisted by their brothers, Charles Mason Remy, of Washington, D. C. and Mr. and Mrs. John Terry Remy of New York, entertained at a reception at "The Quarterdeck," the summer home of Mrs. Wadleigh.

For many years "The Admiral's Party," held on 10 August, has been a feature in the life of the Naval Summer Colony of Jamestown and Newport. It started by Admiral Remy's entertaining a few friends on his birthday, until now it has become an annual event.

Rear Admiral Remy died in 1928, at which time he was the oldest living graduate of the United States Naval Academy. He served this country in four wars.



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Weddings and Engagements

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Hardaway, El Paso, Tex.

Cocktail napkins bearing the names "Lucille and Jimmie" imparted the news to a hundred guests who called between 5:30 and 8:00.

The engagement of Miss Emelyn Pearson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Pugh Pearson of Birmingham, Ala., to Capt. John E. Blackstone has been announced by Capt. and Mrs. J. P. Pearson, Jr., of Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Miss Pearson attended Randolph-Macon Woman's College in Lynchburg, Va., and the University of Alabama, where she was a member of the Tri-Delta sorority. She made her debut several seasons ago in Birmingham and is a member of the Spinster's Cotillion Club of that city. She has been residing for the past year with her brother, Capt. J. P. Pearson, Jr., of the 98th Field Artillery at Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Captain Blackstone is the son of Maude E. Blackstone, Recording Secretary of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and the late A. L. Blackstone, prominent Waukesha, Wisc. attorney. He attended the Floating University, Carroll College, and the University of Wisconsin, having been graduated from the University in 1931 with the degree of A.B. and in 1934 with the degree of LL.B. While attending the University, Captain Blackstone was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. He is also a member of Beta Pi Epsilon and Pi Kappa Delta fraternities. Last August he was called to active duty with the Regular Army. He is stationed at Ft. Lewis, Wash. and is a member of the staff of the 3rd Division.

The plans have been laid for a military wedding to take place in the Post Chapel at Ft. Lewis on 17 Sept.

Miss Nancy Allen Boatwright, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. John R. Boatwright, will be married to 1st Lt. Hugh R. Bishop, 11 Oct., the birthday of the bride-elect.

Announcement was made at a dance given by Miss Boatwright's parents at the Arazy Hotel, Mineral Wells, Tex., Monday, 28 July, birthday of the bridegroom-elect. Music was provided by the Camp Wolters' orchestra. Among the guests were Brig. Gen. and Mrs. W. H. Simpson and other officers of the camp.

Miss Boatwright is a graduate of Spartanburg, S. C. High School and attended William and Mary College at Williamsburg, Va. She is a member of Chi Omega sorority. Her father commands the 60th Training Battalion at Camp Wolters. Lieutenant Bishop is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bishop of Manheim, Pa., and is a graduate of Lehigh University at Bethlehem, Pa. He is a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and is attached to Company C of the 60th Battalion at Wolters.

Lt. William Warren Neely, USA, is getting married today in Washington but by Monday morning, bright and early, he will be back at his desk at Harvard University, so much or rather, so little, leave has the War Department allowed the would-be young benedict.

His bride is to be Miss Dorothy Anne Thurman, daughter of the late Maj. Allen G. Thurman, and the present Mrs. Harry J. Malony, wife of Brig. Gen. Malony, of the Field Artillery. Lieutenant Neely was graduated in June from the Naval Academy, but is now a member of the Coast Artillery Corps of the Army.

The wedding will take place this afternoon at five o'clock in the post chapel at Ft. Myer, and be followed by a reception at the Army War College Club.

The popular young bride-to-be is tall, blonde and blue-eyed and has lived in army posts the world over, though born in Washington. She was educated at the Baldwin School at Bryn Mawr, attended George Washington University.

Her sister, Barbara, will be her maid of honor and another sister, Alice, will be bridesmaid. Ens. George Brant will be best man.

Pre-nuptial parties have kept the young matron-to-be in a whirl, and among those entertaining for her were Miss Barbara Monroe, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. H.

McD. Monroe, Mrs. William Berry, Mrs. George Parsons, Miss Gall Koss and Mrs. Thomas Maroney.

At Beverly Hills, Calif., Miss Jayn Allen Tapping was married 2 Aug. to Lt. Richard Coulter Drum Hunt, USN, son of Mrs. Arthur Condon of Washington, wife of Commander Condon on duty at the Navy Dept.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William B. Fleetwood of All Saints Episcopal Church, which was decorated with lilies, carnations and gladioli.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore her grandmother's wedding gown of heavy cream moire, with tight-fitting bodice, its round neck trimmed with ruffles of old family lace. Her grandmother is Mrs. Edgar John Tapping of Milwaukee.

Mrs. William Robertson of Westwood, Calif., was matron of honor.

Attendants included Mrs. Helen Teaford and Mrs. Walter Terry Jenkins, with frocks of powder blue chiffon and halo hats, and carrying pink water lilies.

Capt. Manly Lamar Curry, USMC, was best man as the bridegroom's brother, Mr. Frederick Drum Hunt, U. S. Consul at Shanghai, was unable to be present.

The ushers, all in uniform, were Lts. John A. Collett, Walter T. Jenkins, Eugene Tatom, Daniel Harrington, all of the Navy, and Mr. Timothy Goodrich Tapping, brother of the bride.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. William Guy Eaton of Honolulu, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jane Elizabeth, to Ens. David Henshaw Pope, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Pope of Washington. Miss Eaton, granddaughter of the late Capt. Guy A. Eaton of USNR, and of Mrs. Eaton of Duluth, attended the University of Hawaii.

Ensign Pope, a native of Washington, was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1939, and is a brother of Capt. Phillip H. Pope, USA. The wedding is to take place 23 Aug., in San Francisco.

Miss Elaine Eckenroth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Eckenroth, and Lt. Rollin Bascom Moore, Jr., of Stockton, Calif., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Bascom Moore, of Berkeley, Calif., were married on Tuesday, 12 Aug., at high noon, at the Laurel Heights Methodist Church, with Dr. Robert Goodrich officiating.

Lt. Samuel Mitchell of Kelly Field was best man, and the ushers were Lts. Robert Miller and Don Jameson, of Kelly Field. Miss Jean Eckenroth, sister of the bride, was maid of honor.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of pure white silk net with sweetheart neckline and sleeves of short, very full puffs. The bodice was horizontally shirred, and made with an up dip in front, and a deep oval dip at the back of the long waistline, and to this was gathered the extremely wide full skirt extending into a long, oval train. She carried a bridal bouquet of gardenias and bouvardia, set in tulle with showers of tulle and stephanotis. Her fingertip tiered veil of white illusion was gathered to a crown of ruffled net with white lilies. She wore a strand of pearls.

After the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Moore will be at home at Stockton Field, Stockton, Calif.

Mrs. Harry R. Williamson announces the engagement of her daughter, Rebecca Powell, to Lt. John Farley Splain, CAC, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Splain, of Chevy Chase, Md.

The wedding will take place at Walter Reed Chapel, 6 Sept.

Lieutenant Splain was graduated from Central High School and the United States Naval Academy in the class of 1936. He is attached to the harbor defenses of Chesapeake Bay at Ft. Monroe, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Fair of Pittsburgh, Pa., formerly of Kew Gardens, L. I., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Fair, to Lt. Paul R. Wentworth, USA, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Wentworth of Rochester, N. Y.

Society News

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manding General at Quantico, and Mrs. Clifton Woodrum have returned to the post after an outing at Virginia Beach, during which time, Gen. Little and Lt. Woodrum enjoyed a fishing trip.

Mrs. P. H. Torrey, wife of Brig. Gen. Torrey and daughters, the Misses Elizabeth and Rebecca, have left their quarters at Quantico for a vacation at Cape May.

Mrs. Henry H. Arnold, wife of Maj. Gen. Arnold and young son, David, have left their home at Greenwich Forest, Md., for a month at Nags Head, N. C.

Miss Patricia Henry, daughter of Gen. and Mrs. Guy J. Henry has left her home in Kenwood, Md., for a visit with Comdr. and Mrs. Douglas James at their camp in Maine.

Miss Margot McVey, daughter of Maj. John F. McVey, USMC, and Mrs. McVey, has returned to her home in Landsdowne, Pa., after visiting relatives for a month in Washington, D. C.

Following sealed orders to Lt. Comdr. W. H. Brereton, Mrs. Brereton has returned from Hawaii and is visiting Lt. and Mrs. W. F. Graf in Kenwood, Md., suburb of Washington.

Her hosts are making her visit pleasant by frequent entertaining.

Col. Raymond F. Fowler formerly attached to the 7th Army Corps, Ala., has been transferred to the Office of Chief of Engineers, War Dept., and he and Mrs. Fowler are at the Westchester until their home at Belle Haven-Alexandria, Va., is ready for them.

They are occupying the apartment of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Clarence L. Sturtevant who are out of town for two months. Lt. J. G. Fowler, USN, their son, is stationed at the Naval base at Pensacola, Fla.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. L. D. Gasser have taken an apartment at the Broadmoor in Washington, D. C. General Gasser is on duty in Washington with the Office of Civilian Defense.

Miss Marjorie Howell, the eighteen-year-old daughter of Col. Robert P. Howell, CE, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Howell, is leaving her home in Seattle, Wash., for a visit on the East Coast, before entering her freshman year at Sullins College in Bristol, Va., 17 Sept.

She will pass several weeks in New York City with her god-mother, Miss Gladys von der Goltz. From there she will go to Wilmington, Del., to visit Miss Jean Truss, a school friend whom she knew when her father was District Engineer there from 1927-31. She will then go south to Raleigh, N. C., to stay with her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Reynolds, a sister of Colonel Howell.

Nancy Cooper, daughter of Col. and Mrs. W. S. Cooper of Washington, D. C., and Cynthia Steele, daughters of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Gordon Steele, are spending the summer in the Blue Ridge Mountains at Lake Lure, N. C.

Recently Nancy was among a group that took a three day Gypsy trip to the Carolina Hemlocks and the Great Smokies. Cynthia is one of the first to complete her life-saving course. Mrs. Gordon Steele is a counselor at Lake Lure Camp this season.

Recent guests at Hotel Martinique, Washington, D. C., were:

Col. Lucas V. Bean, Jr., Harrison, N. Y.; Col. and Mrs. A. L. Fuller, Columbus, Ohio; Lt. Col. and Mrs. E. R. Shugart; Capt. Arthur L. Fuller, Jr., Ft. Monroe, Va.; Capt. W. H. G. Fuller, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Lt. M. C. Hess, Langley Field, Va.; Mrs. Noyes, wife of Maj. John R. Noyes, Mobile, Ala.; Lt. Comdr. Logan McKee, New York, N. Y.; Capt. and Mrs. Charles A. Weaver, Ft. Jackson, S. C.; Capt. and Mrs. S. L. Weld, Jr., Ft. Monroe, Va.; Capt. Robert C. Beckett, Kingston, R. I.; Mrs. Grimes, wife of Maj. George M. Grimes, Landsdowne, Pa.; Lt. W. E. Buck, Jr., Gander, Newfoundland; Lt. Dale D. Brannon, Selfridge Field, Mich.; Lt. H. E. Caldwell, Self-

ridge Field, Mich.; Col. and Mrs. C. T. Marab, Ft. Monroe, Va.; Lt. C. T. Marsh, Jr., St. Johns, Newfoundland; Col. C. W. Baird, Camp Upton, N. Y.; Col. F. C. Mahin, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Lt. Col. R. E. Turley, Jr., Camp Doria, N. C.; Mrs. Watson, wife of Lt. Col. Henry L. Watson, Ret., and Miss Elizabeth Watson, Twenty-nine Palms, Calif., and Lt. and Mrs. N. B. Kiergan, Jr., Northport, N. Y.

The following were recent guests at the Bellevue Hotel, San Francisco, Calif.:

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. W. K. Wilson, Ft. Scott, Calif.; Capt. and Mrs. J. N. Wilson, Ft. Scott, Calif.; Maj. Gen. and Mrs. H. T. Burgin, Ft. De Russy, Honolulu, T. H.; Col. John D. Carmody, Los Angeles, Calif.; Col. G. F. N. Dalley, Presidio of Monterey; Col. and Mrs. W. G. Weaver, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Mr. William Weaver, son of Col. Weaver, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Col. W. O. Butler, Riverside, Calif.; Col. R. G. Breene, Ft. George Wright, Wash.; Col. E. J. Dwan, Presidio of Monterey; Col. W. D. Luplow, Portland, Ore.; Lt. Col. H. H. Hayes, Riverside, Calif.; Lt. Col. and Mrs. O. Winnick, Presidio of Monterey; Lt. Col. H. McCormick, Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Lt. Col. and Mrs. F. B. Shearer, Presidio of Monterey; Lt. Col. L. V. H. Durfee, Presidio of San Francisco; Lt. Col. Philip Doodridge, Boise, Idaho; Lt. Col. and Mrs. G. B. Norris, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Lt. Col. John H. Cochran, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Lt. Col. G. L. McNeil, Savannah, Ga.; Lt. Col. and Mrs. O. F. Marston, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Lt. Col. J. T. Menzie, Philippine Dept., Manila, P. I.; Maj. H. M. Graham, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Lt. Comdr. N. A. Peavey, United States Navy; Maj. and Mrs. P. H. Martin and son, Ft. Ord, Calif.; Maj. A. F. Gilmartin, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Maj. G. R. Seithers, Riverside, Calif.; Maj. B. Scott and family, Manila, P. I.; Maj. D. P. Buckland, Manila, P. I.; Maj. R. R. Selway, A. C., Savannah, Ga.; Maj. M. B. Towman, Tucson, Ariz.; Maj. and Mrs. L. W. DeRosier, Los Angeles, Calif.; Maj. P. Black, Ft. Ord, Calif.; Maj. G. H. McMann, Jr., Riverside, Calif.; Maj. and Mrs. L. P. Luongo, Ft. Ord, Calif.; Capt. R. J. Bradley, Riverside, Calif.; Capt. Samuel M. Bloom, Clifton Forge, Va.; Capt. E. G. Cook, Riverside, Calif.; Capt. A. B. Carlton, Chicago, Ill.; Capt. R. D. Ritchey, Manila, P. I.; Capt. Wm. Hadley, Fresno, Calif.; Capt. Joseph J. Nazzaro, Geiger Field, Spokane, Wash.; Capt. W. D. Hipps, Savannah, Ga.; Lt. H. J. Hogue, Morgantown, W. Va.; Lt. John Rizzolo, New Orleans, La.; Lt. T. T. Bronk, Irwin, Pa.; Lt. J. M. Siciliano, Ft. Myer, Va.; Lt. and Mrs. L. R. Bratton, Honolulu, T. H.; Mrs. H. E. McCurdy, wife of Lt. McCurdy, Camp Roberts, Calif.; Lt. B. B. Newall, U. S. Navy; Lt. Earl H. Gray, Spokane, Wash.; Lt. E. O. Andersen, U. S. Navy; Lt. Robert J. Kintchek, Carmel, Calif.; Lt. and Mrs. R. P. Salzarulo, Hickam Field, T. H.; Lt. L. W. Lord, and brother, Ft. Ord, Calif.; Lt. and Mrs. John W. Loud, Jr., Ft. Hancock, N. J.; Lt. and Mrs. David H. Hutton, Camp Roberts, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Warren, brother-in-law of Lt. Hutton.

Army and Navy officers and their families who stopped over at Hotel Piccadilly, New York City, recently, included:

Lt. L. E. Symroski, Langley Field, Va.; Lt. A. R. Lind, Langley Field, Va.; Lt. Stephen Kosiorok, Cleveland, Ohio; Lt. A. W. White, USMA, West Point, N. Y.; Lt. W. Brown, Tampa, Fla.; Lt. Col. T. R. Wilson, Ft. Slocum, N. Y.; Lt. C. H. Colwell, Hamilton Field, Calif.; Maj. C. F. Gilchrist, Tampa, Fla.; Comdr. L. J. Maxson, Philadelphia Navy Yard, Philadelphia, Pa.; Col. and Mrs. J. M. Adamson, Ft. Sherman, C. Z.; Capt. W. Davis and family, Indiantown Gap, Pa.; Capt. C. J. Letzelter, USMA, West Point, N. Y.; Lt. W. F. Starr, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; Lt. and Mrs. H. J. Van Cleave, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; Lt. and Mrs. J. P. Donohue, Boston, Mass.; Lt. and Mrs. W. Feeley, Ft. Story, Va.; Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. D. R. Hull, Alexandria, Va.; Lt. E. H. Rengan, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; Capt. F. E. Fries, Springfield, Mass.; Ens. and Mrs. Boettcher, USS Tuscaloosa; Capt. C. E. Biggs and wife, Washington, D. C.; Ens. J. A. Cronin, USS Tuscaloosa; Ens. C. B. Ireland, USS Tuscaloosa; Lt. J. J. Baker, Pine Camp, N. Y.; Capt. D. B. Weber, Ft. Monroe, Va.; Lt. and Mrs. Caldwell, Washington, D. C.; Col. C. E. Johnson, Washington, D. C.; Capt. Frank Rogers, Philadelphia, Pa.; Lt. N. B. Chenault, Raritan Arsenal, Metuchen, N. J.; Lt. R. D. Brown, Ft. Monroe, Va.; Lt. J. S. Grygield, Nashua, N. H.; Lt. and Mrs. J. P. Jerome, Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt.; Lt. and Mrs. H. J. Glick, Ft. Banks, Mass.; Lt. C. H. Scott, Rodgers, Camp Upton, N. Y.; Lt. T. H. Bragg, Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Lt. J. W. White, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Lt. and Mrs. Benson, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.; Ens. R. E. Huddleston, USS Tuscaloosa; Lt. J. G. Healy, Ft. Monroe, Va.; Maj. E. J. Glavin, Governors Island, N. Y.; Lt. and Mrs. Gerard La Rocca, Philadelphia, Pa.; Lt. Col. W. W. Boon, Pine Camp, N. Y.; Lt. M. E. Layfield, Augusta, Ga.; Lt. J. D. Lester, Ft. Bragg, N. C.; Lt. D. R. Sable, Ft. Preble, Me.; Lt. J. C. Habecker, Ontario, Calif.; Ens. R. D. Dupzyk, Newport, R. I.; Col. Robert Snow, Camp Upton, L. I.; Lt. J. Power, Ft. George G. Meade, Md.

OBITUARIES

Births • Marriages • Deaths

(No charge for service notices in this column. Please notify promptly.)

Born

Lt. Harry Allen Wentworth, USN-Ret., died on 6 Aug. in Washington, D. C. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. N. Wentworth, 5018 Canterbury Drive, San Diego, Calif.

Lieutenant Wentworth was born in Spokane, Wash., on 11 April 1893. He enlisted in the Regular Navy on 19 April 1910, reenlisted on 10 Aug. 1914 and accepted temporary appointment on 9 Nov. 1917 as Boatswain. On 17 Nov. he was ordered to duty in the Office of the Commanding Officer, Armed Draft Detail, Navy Yard, New York. He was detached and transferred on 23 May 1919 to the USS Woodcock as Commanding Officer.

He was awarded the Navy Cross, World War, with the following citation: "For distinguished service in the line of his profession as Commander of the USS Woodcock, a mine sweeper engaged in the difficult and hazardous duty of sweeping for and removing the mines of the North Sea Mine Barrage."

On 24 June 1919, Lieutenant Wentworth joined the USS Sea Gull and served as her Commanding Officer until July 1924 when he reported in the Receiving Ship, San Francisco, Calif. He remained in that duty until he was transferred to the USS Altair on 11 July 1924. A year and a half later, he was ordered to duty in the USS Koka as Commanding Officer and on 30 July 1929 was placed on the Retired List of the Navy.

Lieutenant Wentworth was given the Bailey Medal for attaining the highest final average in examination for the year 1910, while serving as an enlisted man at the Naval Training Station, San Francisco, Calif. He had the Victory Medal (Mine Sweeper Clasp) USS Woodcock.

1st Lt. Laird W. Hendricks, AC, USA, assigned as an observer in London, England, was killed in an airplane crash in England, 28 July 1941, the War Department announced on 7 Aug. Lieutenant Hendricks was flying an American plane not in the combat zone, it was stated.

Lieutenant Hendricks was born in Ocala, Fla., on 3 June 1916, and was graduated from the United States Military Academy, 12 June 1939, at which time he was commissioned in the Coast Artillery Corps. He transferred to the Air Corps 22 June 1940, and completed his flying training in the same year. He had a rating as a pilot, and was promoted to be a temporary first lieutenant 9 Sept. 1940. His home was Jacksonville, Fla.

Lt. Col. Sidney J. Cutler, 32nd Field Artillery Battalion, died on 11 July at Station Hospital, Ft. Devens, Mass.

Born at Detroit, Michigan, on 26 January 1890, Colonel Cutler served in the Army from 18 October 1913 until his death.

Colonel Cutler was awarded three General Order citations during the World War. In addition to which he was awarded the Silver Star Citation, and the French Croix de Guerre, with Palm and Bronze Star.

Funeral services for Col. Percy L. Jones, USA-Ret., who died 9 Aug. in Erie, Pa., were held Wednesday, 13 Aug., with honors assembling at the Ft. Myer Gate of Arlington National Cemetery. Interment was with full military honors in the Eastern Section of the cemetery, Chaplain John B. Duncan officiating.

Colonel Jones is survived by his widow, Mrs. Fannie Jones, 644 West 7th Street, Erie, Pa.

The following officers served as honorary pallbearers: Maj. Gen. James C. Magee, Brig. Gen. Albert G. Love, Brig. Gen. Larry B. McAfee, Col. J. D. Fife, Col. Joseph F. Siler, and Col. George F. Lull. Colonel Jones was born in Georgia, 26 May 1875. He received his degree in medicine from the University of Tennessee in 1897, and was graduated from the Army Medical School in 1904, completing the Advanced Course there in 1922. In 1928, he completed the Advanced Course at the Medical Field Service School, Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania.

At the time of the Spanish American War, Colonel Jones joined the 1st Tennessee Volunteer Infantry and served as captain, assistant surgeon, from May, 1898, to September, 1899. He was appointed an assistant surgeon in the Regular Army in July, 1903, and was promoted to captain in the Medical Corps in June, 1905. He attained the rank of colonel, 10 July 1929, and was retired 31 Oct. 1931.

For his World War services in France, he received the Distinguished Service Medal

BARRENTINE—Born at station hospital, Ft. Benning, Ga., 6 Aug. 1941, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. George T. Barrentine, Inf. School Service Command, a daughter.

BLOIN—Born at Emergency Hospital, Annapolis, Md., 7 Aug. 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. Francis J. Blouin, USN, a son, Peter Van Aiken, grandson of Capt. and Mrs. Wilbur R. Van Aiken, USN, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Blouin of Whitinsville, Mass.

BOND—Born at St. Vincent's Hospital, Jacksonville, Fla., 1 Aug. 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Bond, a son, grandson of Lt. John T. Swift, USN-Ret.

BURDICK—Born at Seattle, Wash., 23 July 1941, to Lt. (jg) and Mrs. R. S. Burdick, USN, a daughter, Margaret Kent, granddaughter of Capt. and Mrs. Kent Robottom, USN, of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. H. D. Burdick, Brookline, Mass., widow of Maj. Harold D. Burdick, CAC, USA.

COOPER—Born at Station Hospital, Maxwell Field, Ala., 1 Aug. 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. Robert N. Cooper, FD, USA, a son, Thomas Hayne.

DAVIS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 20 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Henry B. Davis, Jr., 7th Cav., a son, John Walther Davis II.

DILLON—Born at Post Hospital, Ft. Monroe, Va., 27 July 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. James R. Dillon, CARTC, Ft. Eustis, Va., a son, James Lochan, grandson of Lt. Col. James H. Reynolds, jr., USA-Ret., and the late Annie Macdonald Reynolds.

EBERLE—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 17 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Glen C. Eberle, MP Det., a son, Glen Clarence Eberle, II.

FASKEN—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 30 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert A. M. Fasken, 8th Cav., a son, Frank Andrew.

FISHBACK—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 11 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Joe Fishback, 91st Recon. Sq., a son, David Madsen.

FISHER—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 27 June 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. John Merlin Fisher, 260th CA (AA), Ft. Bliss, Tex., a son, John MacLennon Fisher.

FORTSON—Born at station hospital, 6 Aug. 1941, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Walton Lee Fortson, Anti-Tank Co., 29th Inf., a daughter.

GILMARTIN—Born at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., 30 July 1941, to Maj. and Mrs. A. F. Gilmartin, a son, John Thomas.

GRANT—Born at Lexington, Va., 2 Aug. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Walter Schuyler Grant, jr., a daughter, Martha Schuyler, granddaughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Walter Schuyler Grant, and Mrs. Leach.

GREEN—Born at Gorgas Hospital, Ancon, Canal Zone, 9 July 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Martin Levering Green, FA, USA, a son, Martin Levering Green, 2nd.

HARRELL—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 25 July 1941, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Gus W. Harrell, 79th CA, a daughter, Patricia Michael Harrell.

JAGOW—Born at St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor, Mich., 9 Aug. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert J. Jagow, CE, Ft. Bragg, N. C., a daughter, Eleanor Marie.

JOHNSON—Born at station hospital, Ft. Benning, Ga., 8 Aug. 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. George Johnson, Hq. Co., 29th Inf., a daughter.

JOWELL—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 14 July 1941, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. James Lewis Jowell, 1st Cav. Div., a son, James Lewis.

KAMINSKY—Born at Newark, N. J., 25 July 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. Aaron L. Kaminsky, MC, USA, a son, Joseph G.

LANSING—Born at St. Vincent's Hospital, Jacksonville, Fla., 8 Aug. 1941, to Maj. and Mrs. Samuel M. Lansing, Inf., a daughter, Sally Ann.

McCONNELL—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 26 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. James M. McConnell, MC, a son, James Richard McConnell.

MAGUIRE—Born at Columbia Hospital, Washington, D. C., 3 Aug. 1941, to Col. and Mrs. Hamilton E. Maguire, (FA), GSC, a son.

O'CONNOR—Born at Ft. Leonard Wood,

Mo., 23 July 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. George B. O'Connor, Inf., a daughter, Toni Teresa, granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. James F. Doherty, AC.

PATTIE—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 12 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Charles M. Pattie, 12th Cav., a daughter, Pamela Ellen Pattie.

PERKINS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 6 July 1941, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Robert M. Perkins, 7th Cav., a daughter, Betty Jean.

PROTHO—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 10 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Howell H. Protho, 12th Cav., a son, Harris Hughes.

QUACKENBUSH—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., 4 Aug. 1941, to Ens. and Mrs. John M. Quackenbush, a daughter, Diana Macine.

RYNEARSON—Born at Madison, Ind., 1 Aug. 1941, to Capt. and Mrs. C. B. Rynearson, CE, a daughter, Eleanor.

SCANLAND—Born at Queen's Hospital, Honolulu, T. H., 21 July 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. F. W. Scanland, jr., USN, a son, grandson of Capt. and Mrs. F. W. Scanland, USN, and Col. and Mrs. Hjalmar Erickson, USA-Ret.

SCHANTZ—Born at St. Mary's Hospital, Long Beach, Calif., 22 July 1941, to Lt. and Mrs. C. W. Schantz, (SC), USN, a son, John Malcolm.

SEIBERT—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 11 July 1941, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Eugene R. Seibert, 79th CA (AA), a daughter, Susan Jan.

SHELLBERG—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 25 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. John A. Shellberg, jr., Post Signal office, a son, John August Shellberg III.

SPRAGUE—Born at Columbia Hospital, Washington, D. C., 1 Aug. 1941, to Comdr. and Mrs. A. T. Sprague, jr., USN, a daughter, Katherine Ancona.

THOMAS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 18 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. James C. Thomas, 260th CA (AA), a daughter, Martha Kathleen.

VAN SICKLE—Born 6 July 1941, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. N. D. Van Sickle, AC, Manchester Air Base, N. H., a daughter, Anne Frances.

WELLS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 11 July 1941, to 1st Sgt. and Mrs. Charles V. Wells, 12th Cav., a son, Charles Ralph.

WOOD—Born at Columbia Hospital, Columbia, S. C., 4 Aug. 1941, to Maj. and Mrs. Thomas C. Wood, jr., a daughter, Lucy Carr Wood.

Married

ARMSTRONG-PORTER—Married at Ninety-Six, S. C., 2 Aug. 1941, Miss Barbara Patricia Porter, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Sumner Allen Porter, to Lt. John Denithorn Armstrong, jr.

CARLTON-MACKAY—Married at Little Chapel, Emory University, Ga., 15 Aug. 1941, Miss Louise Mackay, to Capt. John T. Carlton, USA.

HAIN-RANDALL—Married at Niles, Mich., 28 July 1941, Miss Sylvia Elizabeth Randall, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Albert B. Randall, USNR, to Dr. Harold S. Hain.

HUNT-TAPPING—Married at Beverly Hills, Calif., 2 Aug. 1941, Miss Jayn Tapping, to Lt. Richard Drum Hunt, USN.

LAMBERT-KELLY—Married at Brooklyn, N. Y., 5 Aug. 1941, Miss Ellen Kelly, to Lt. (jg) Gordon Kenneth Lambert (MC), USN.

LANK-HENRY—Married at Naval Academy Chapel, Annapolis, Md., 24 July 1941, Miss Mary Louise Henry, daughter of Comdr. and Mrs. Jonathan Edwards Henry, (MC), USN-Ret., to Ens. Harold C. Lank, USN.

LAVERY-WARNOCK—Married at Leavenworth, Kan., 29 June 1941, Miss Dixie Bernice Warnock, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Aln Dudley Warnock, to Mr. Edward Henry Lavery, sr.

MARKEY-McKENNA—Married at San Augustine Church, San Juan, P. R., 6 Aug. 1941, Miss Joanne McKenna, to Lt. Gerard Markey, AC, USA.

PILLSBURY-COLLINGS—Married at Dorchester, Mass., 2 Aug. 1941, Miss Mary Anne Collings, daughter of Warrant Officer and Mrs. Sherman Collings, USA, to Lt. Hobart B. Pillsbury, USA.

PRINCE-CASEY—Married at Sheraden,

Pa., 21 June 1941, Miss Elizabeth Farris Casey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Casey, to Mr. Robert Ferris Prince, son of Col. and Mrs. Frederick Almyron Prince, Montgomery, Ala.

WINTON-RAYMOND—Married at Carmel-by-the-Sea, Calif., 23 July 1941, Miss Billie Raymond, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Harold C. Raymond, to Lt. Walter Ferrell Winton, jr., son of Col. and Mrs. Walter F. Winton.

Died

COX—Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 30 July 1941, Patricia Maurer Cox, infant daughter of 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Dallas W. Cox, 63rd CA (AA), Ft. Bliss, Tex.

DUNLAP—Killed in airplane collision, near Jacksonville, Fla., 12 Aug. 1941, Aviation Cadet Edward Augustus Dunlap, 3rd, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Dunlap, 1 Maplewood Terrace, Haverhill, Mass.

DURNING—Killed in automobile accident at Escambia River Bridge, near Pensacola, Fla., 10 Aug. 1941, Capt. Alvin Condon Durning, USMCR, survived by his wife, Mrs. Celia Durning, 1656 Dufossat St., New Orleans, La.

EDMONSTON—Died at Washington, D. C., 13 July 1941, Carol B. Edmonston, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Raphael A. Edmonston, MC, USA.

GROWNEY—Died 9 Aug. 1941, Lt. Comdr. Lawrence Edward Growney, (MC), USNR-Ret.

HAIGHT—Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 4 July 1941, Irma K. Haight, wife of 1st Lt. Earl R. Haight, MAC.

HARRILL—Died 9 Aug. 1941, Mrs. Gaines M. Harrill, of Knoxville, Tenn., mother of Capt. William Kean Harrill, USN, great-aunt of Mrs. R. A. Awrey, wife of Lt. Comdr. R. A. Awrey, USN-Ret. Also surviving are the following sons and daughters: Mr. G. M. Harrill, Knoxville, Tenn.; Mr. F. P. Harrill, Wilmington, N. C.; Miss Sophia Harrill, Mrs. D. Briscoe, and Mrs. T. L. Trent, of Knoxville, Tenn.

HUMPHRIES—Died at station hospital, Ft. Benning, Ga., 7 Aug. 1941, Leonard Humphries, two-year-old son of S. Sgt. and Mrs. Leonard Forrest Humphries, 67th Armored Regiment.

MARSDEN—Died at Brookline, Mass., 29 July 1941, Mrs. John Slater Marsden, mother of Mrs. John B. Rooney, wife of Lt. Comdr. John B. Rooney, USN.

MOSS—Died at Emergency Hospital, Washington, D. C., 2 Aug. 1941, Mrs. Reta Cousens Moss, wife of Maj. Joe D. Moss, CAC, USA, Assistant Executive in the office of the Chief of Coast Artillery.

NEILL—Died at Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C., 13 Aug. 1941, Maj. John Baldwin Neill, jr., USMCR, survived by his wife, Mrs. John B. Neill, 5338 8 Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

OETKEN—Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 7 July 1941, Elsie Margaret Oetken, infant daughter of 1st Sgt. and Mrs. Byron W. Oetken, Btry. C, 79th CA, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

THOMPSON—Died at Ft. Banks Hospital, Winthrop, Mass., 12 Aug. 1941, Mr. Nathan I. Thompson. Survived by his daughter, Mrs. Mark L. Ireland, wife of Col. Mark L. Ireland, 30 Dean Road, Brookline, Mass.

VAN HOOK—Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 2 July 1941, Constance May Van Hook, infant daughter of 2nd Lt. Warren B. Van Hook, 759th Tank Bn., Ft. Bliss, Tex.

WENTWORTH—Died at Washington, D. C., 6 Aug. 1941, Lt. Harry Allen Wentworth, USN-Ret., survived by his wife, Mrs. N. Wentworth, 5018 Canterbury Drive, San Diego, Calif.

WILKINSON—Died at Philadelphia, Pa., 5 Aug. 1941, Mary Gail, wife of Lt. Robert E. Wilkinson (CC), USN-Ret. and aunt of Lt. Paul W. Clarke (SC), USN.

WISDOM—Died at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Bronx, N. Y., on 8 Aug. 1941, 1st Lt. Edmund A. Wisdom, USA-Ret.

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Criticize QMC Construction

Concluding weeks of hearings, a special Senate committee headed by Senator Truman, of Mo., this week reported to the Senate that the program of Army construction undertaken last fall and winter showed a great deal of extravagance, displayed many mistakes, and argued for the creation of a new Army agency to handle construction.

Following publication of the Truman report, Under Secretary of War Patterson issued a statement saying, "Undoubtedly, in the pressing task suddenly thrust upon the War Department last September of quickly providing housing for 1,200,000 soldiers, mistakes have been made. Some of these would not have occurred if the War Department had, at an earlier period, been given funds and personnel with which to make detailed plans and site surveys. However, the military objective of providing troop housing was accomplished with remarkable speed and dispatch in spite of winter weather and labor and material shortages and almost insurmountable difficulties."

"The work of the Quartermaster Corps of the Army is primarily that of obtaining supplies," the report said. "The corps has very little experience with construction." Work of the Engineers, too, has been confined to river and harbor work and fortifications and, "As a result, there were very few officers in the Quartermaster Corps or in the Engineer Corps who were fitted to cope with the problems involved in the camp-construction program."

"The committee believes that the Engineer Corps should continue its present work, including especially river and harbor, flood control, and other civil functions of the War Department, but that authority should be granted to the Secretary of War to assign additional construction work to the Corps of Engineers. In pursuance of authority granted by Congress in 1940, all Air Corps construction already has been so assigned."

"In addition, the committee believes that the construction of Army camps and the maintenance of those which exist constitutes and will continue to constitute a sufficiently important work to warrant the creation of a separate division of the War Department to be charged directly with such construction and maintenance, and to be entirely separate and distinct from the Quartermaster's Corps, which could then concentrate on the problems for which it was organized."

"The committee also believes that the officers assigned to such a construction and maintenance corps should be detailed therein for a period not exceeding 4 years, and redetailed prohibited until the officers concerned should have served 1 or more years with the branch of the Army from which they hold commissions. Such a provision would insure that the officers in the new corps would continue to be familiar with the technical problems of the other services of the Army. In addition to officers, the corps should have a number of civilians, so that it would constantly be in touch with civilian developments and could build up a reserve of civilians formerly associated with the corps, who in time of emergency could immediately be called upon for assistance."

"The committee believes that such a corps should be engaged constantly in time of peace as well as in time of war in studying construction problems and in preparing worth-while plans based on the eventualities which might possibly occur. The civilians connected with this proposed corps should be construction men—practical men—who know how to build and what it costs. They should not be hampered by bureaucratic red tape in time of emergency."

A summarization of the report follows:

Despite the fact that facilities for housing, training, and caring for 1,216,459 American soldiers were actually provided, said the report, nevertheless the lack of planning, organization, experience and foresight coupled with the needless wasting of more than \$100,000,000 of the taxpayer's money and the strangling effect of bureaucratic red tape, makes the establishment of Army camps in America's present emergency a dangerously expensive accomplishment.

Nine camps (representing 1/6 the total camp construction cost) were chosen for special study—Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Ft. George Meade, Md.; Indiantown Gap, Pa.;

Camp Blanding, Fla.; Camp Stewart, Ga.; Camp Hulen, Tex.; Camp Wallace, Tex.; Camp Davis, N. C.; Camp Luis Obispo, Calif.

The cost per man in these nine camps came to \$702.41 instead of an estimated \$320 per man. In the World War the cost was only \$216 per man, and that was thought excessively high.

The Truman report emphasized the lack of adequate plans that could have been formulated which would have made proper estimates possible. "The problems encountered in camp construction," the report states, "are substantially those encountered in the World War and the lessons learned there . . . should have been heeded. It was the business of the War Department to operate on the assumption that war might ensue at any time. The War Department should not have been satisfied with one set of plans (namely, plans to send the regular Army immediately into the field of operations and provide 18 tent camps for the National Guard and other troops moving up in line for processing to go to the front) but should have given attention to the possibility that the U. S. might want to provide adequate defense before it actually became engaged in war."

"The generals were running the Army along Civil War lines and had not properly worked out the requirements of a mechanized Army."

"A great deal of excess cost was due to insufficient planning in advance and to no planning at all."

"War Department had to a considerable extent standardized . . . specifications for . . . typical buildings used in cantonment construction which were part of the mobilization plan. These specifications were varied to meet the requirements of weather conditions prevailing in various areas. The War Department had no way of even approximating what the various buildings would cost. Its estimates were made to meet an objective cost of \$400 per man of which \$50 per man was allocated with no recognizable basis to the cost of utilities."

Original War Department directives authorizing the construction of camps were issued, in the case of the nine camps studied by the Truman Committee, either before or immediately after the passage of the Selective Service Act on 16 Sept. 1940. Yet, these directives merely indicated whether the camp was to be of a tent or barracks variety, and how many troops it was to hold. The number of troops ultimately to be housed in the camps was in every instance materially changed. "After the directives were issued architect-engineers and contractors had to be selected and contracts negotiated. And these architect-engineers and contractors had to obtain whatever data the War Department had, study it and proceed with tentative lay-out plans before any work could be started." This caused a delay of precious weeks and pushed construction into the difficult winter months. Then to make up for lost time the Government was forced to pay overtime wages and hire unduly large numbers of men.

"During the time when the legislation was pending, the War Department should have made complete lay-out plans for several of the more important camps and should have made surveys of the sites for the remainder together with general observations of the problems . . . to be encountered."

"Failure to do simple common-sense preliminary work caused the bulk of the program to be executed during unfavorable weather conditions, and produced great waste of time, effort and money."

The high cost of materials and the high equipment rentals paid by the Government in the camp construction program are again instances of lack of intelligent planning, precaution, and practical hard-headedness, the Truman report declared. The enormous quantities of materials bought caused a substantial rise in the market price—particularly in those instances where contractors were bidding against each other for the available supply to the disadvantage of the Government. It was not, for example, until lumber prices had gone from \$30 to \$41 per thousand board feet that the War Department centralized the purchases of this item.

The cost plus a fixed fee contract was largely used in the camp construction program. Comment has been previously made with respect to the accuracy of the estimates used by the War Department, the report said, but in addition, this type of contract has other disadvantages which were manifested in the present program. All costs of the project are reimbursed by the Government, the contractor thereby incurring no risk and having no incentive to keep costs at a minimum. "The method of fixing fees completely deprived the Government of any possible competition between competitors for the contract, and even deprived the Government of the possibility of negotiating with the contractors or architect-engineers to determine the minimum amounts for which responsible firms could be induced to take the contract."

"In the last war the contractor had to work to make the costs even more excessive than they would otherwise have been in order to get his large fee. In the present case we have improved it so that now the contractor need do nothing for his fee. If progress is slow,

the contractor can simply order more equipment, hire more men and use overtime . . . in order to bring the progress rate up. Such action is of course much easier than to increase efficiency."

"In the 47 camps and cantonments analyzed by the Committee . . . it was found that in the 17 built on a lump sum form of contract, the average cost per man was \$380. The remaining 29 camps constructed on a fixed-fee contract brought the cost per man to \$684."

The Truman report stated that little or no attention was devoted to the all-important factor of camp sites prior to the passage of the bill providing for camp construction. "The reason for this lack (of foresight) assigned by the War Department is that it had devoted its energies to planning a mobilization based on the theory that no defense program would be undertaken prior to a declaration of war. It was therefore in a position of having plans for a situation which did not occur and none for the situation which did occur."

"When sites were finally being considered, full utilization was not made of engineering and topographical data which could have been developed by the Engineering Corps or could have been obtained from other agencies." For example the original location of Fort Leonard Wood was in Iowa. It was reported that this site had an adequate water supply. Actually the camp had to be moved to Missouri because the Iowa location had an inadequate water supply.

"Even when a survey was made by the board of officers and definite recommendations made by them, as to a particular location, this recommendation was disregarded by the War Department." As a result many were unadaptable from a terrain standpoint. In addition to this "little consideration was given to the accessibility and availability of large maneuver areas."

Requirements for Pilot Training

The policy for the training of Reserve and National Guard officers in Air Corps Pilot Courses, has been promulgated by the War Department.

The requirements as set forth in the new policy are that the candidate must be physically qualified for type training desired; recommended by military superiors for such duty; have an efficiency rating of "excellent" or better; and be a citizen of the United States not less than ten years. Officers who have been eliminated from a service flying school for failure in flying, or who have completed the course of instruction in a service flying school are not eligible for pilot training. The age limit has been set at 27 years the same as that of a Flying Cadet, with the further stipulation that applicants must agree to serve three years on extended active duty with the Air Corps after successful completion of such training.

Advance NCO Allowances

Stating that military duties are taking large numbers of enlisted men to large cities where credit arrangements for board and lodging are difficult to make, Secretary of War Stimson has asked Congress to enact legislation which would permit the Army to pay rental and subsistence allowances to eligible enlisted men in advance, where it is necessary in order to overcome financial hardships.

Allotments of Pay

The War Department through a recent circular letter has announced that allotments of pay and deductions for support of dependents of enlisted men will be made for individuals who serve or are about to serve outside the continental limits of the United States or in Alaska. Only in cases where an allotter has reason to believe he is about to be transferred to Alaska or outside the continental limits of the United States will he be permitted to make an allotment to a person residing at his own station.

Enlisted men who are absent from their permanent stations on extended temporary duty or maneuvers may authorize deductions from their pay for the support of their dependents.

Army Hospital Trains

Four converted Pullman cars, termed "hospital ward cars," to be used with Army Hospital Trains have been authorized by the War Department. Contracts for the railway cars, to cost \$22,556 each, have not been let.

Designed to transport sick or injured soldiers, each hospital ward car will have beds for 32 patients. Two of the ward cars will be used with each hospital

train. A standard Hospital Train will consist of one administrative unit car, two of the newly ordered ward cars, and a variable number of standard sleeping cars.

Signal Corps Notes

Decentralization of control in the Office of the Chief Signal Officer by the creation of three new divisions has been effected. The purpose of the reorganization is designed to meet the increased demands due to the Signal Corps' expansion, and to provide more effective means of expediting the work and activities of the Office of the Chief Signal Officer.

The new divisions that have been created are Materiel Branch, Administrative Branch and Operations Branch. The precise functions of each of the new branches are at the present time being worked out, however temporary activities and sub-divisions which will be incorporated in each of the new branches have been assigned but are subject to change.

Three colonels will head the new branches. Each of the new branch chiefs will be directly responsible to the Chief Signal Officer but will coordinate through the executive branch.

Col. Clyde L. Eastman, executive officer of the Office of the Chief Signal Officer, will head the Administrative Branch. He will retain his duties as executive officer. Col. Roger B. Colton, formerly director of the Signal Corps Laboratories, Ft. Monmouth, N. J., will head the Materiel Branch. Col. Otis K. Sadler, formerly Signal Officer of the 11 Army Corps, Wilmington, Del., will be chief of the Operations Branch.

The present Research and Development Division, Supply Division and Plant Division will be under the new Materiel Branch headed by Colonel Colton. The Administrative Branch, headed by Colonel Eastman will handle matters of fiscal, personnel, intelligence, service and executive nature. Incorporated under the Administrative Branch are the Fiscal, Executive Control, Personnel, Intelligence, and Service Divisions. The War Plans and Training Division, Photographic Division, Signal Intelligence Service and School, Communication Liaison Division, and Traffic Division, will be under the Operations Branch headed by Colonel Sadler.

Stimson Explains Retention

In a radical departure from precedence, Secretary of War Stimson last night addressed himself to the men of the Army to explain their retention in the service under the law passed this week by Congress.

Speaking over the Blue Network of The National Broadcasting Company, and the MBS Network, Mr. Stimson said, "It is proper that I as head of the War Department should state to you the reasons why it has been found necessary" to extend service.

"An American Army is an intelligent Army," he said. "It does its work more efficiently if it knows the cause for which it is created, and the reason for the sacrifices which it is asked to make."

Thereupon he discussed the international situation and the need which compelled the building up of an adequate army from scratch.

"Our Army and its Air Force must be prepared to meet enemies coming from the North, from the East, from the South and from the West," he declared. "These hard inescapable facts constitute the reason why your government has extended the time of your service and is asking from you every possible effort in the training which we can give you. They are also the reasons why we are asking you to give us the patriotic devotion, the faith, and the spirit which have in past wars made American armies unconquerable. It would not only be a danger to the safety of your country but a crime against you yourselves if we should send you half-trained to meet the enemy troops against whom you might be pitted."

"We believe that, giving the training and the weapons, an American Army, actuated by the spirit of free men, will be more than a match for any similar army composed of men who are not free."

The Defense Program

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of different nature confronted Finance Offices, United States Army. These offices located in many of our principal cities and employing civilian personnel, are concerned principally with the payment of commercial vouchers. Procuring agencies processed contracts, purchase orders, and payrolls, with a speed never before achieved. The thousands of such procuring instruments presented a challenge to all Finance Department personnel and every expedient was adopted to prevent a "bottle-neck." The rigid requirements of governmental accounting were scrutinized with a view to adopting emergency procedure which would fulfill the requirements of sound accounting and at the same time permit more rapid payment of bills.

Army Finance Officers

Army Finance Offices located at Boston, New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Atlanta, St. Louis, Chicago, San Francisco, and more than a dozen other large cities, form a network throughout the country which assures that any corporation or firm transacting business with the Army has access to an Army Finance Office in the immediate vicinity. Additional Finance Offices are established as soon as they are required. The recently established offices at Detroit, Kansas City, and New Orleans, are now disbursing millions of dollars monthly.

Interesting comparative figures are now available to show the fiscal activities in these offices. The average monthly disbursements in the Finance Office, U. S. Army, Philadelphia, Pa., for the fiscal year 1940 were \$1,916,000. During the month of April, 1941, they were \$46,675,000. On the same basis the number of vouchers paid has increased from 3,000 to 17,000; checks issued from 17,000 to 54,000. In the Finance Office, U. S. Army, Fort McPherson, Ga., the average disbursement for the fiscal year 1940 were \$1,197,000. During the month of April, 1941, they were \$23,182,000. On the same basis the number of vouchers paid has increased from 6,000 to 21,000; checks issued from 17,000 to 37,000. In the Finance Office, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C., the average monthly disbursements for the fiscal year 1940 were \$7,353,000. During the month of April, 1941, they were \$44,590,000. On the same basis the number of vouchers paid has increased from 10,995 to 32,778; checks issued from 35,000 to 92,943.

The authorized number of regular Finance Department civilian employees on 1 January 1940, was 1,171. By 1 July 1941, this number will have been increased to approximately 5,000. The small original group of experienced personnel assisted in conducting what amounted to an "in service" training course, as new employees "learned by doing."

The Finance Department's accomplishment of its job during the period of our greatest defense effort is a tribute to its

loyal and untiring personnel. It has been said that in modern war, the battlefield lies not only in the theatre of operations but also along the transmission belt of industry. To keep those belts moving, the Finance Department must assure an unceasing flow of funds.

Army Warrant Officer Bill

Agreement was reached this week by representatives of the House and Senate on compromise of difference in the versions of the Army Warrant Officer bill as passed by the two chambers. Both chambers agreed to the compromise and sent the bill to the President.

With the bill so close to law, requiring only the President's signature, the War Department is preparing to issue warrants to the approximately 250 enlisted men remaining on the existing eligible list. It is planned, however, not to make the full authorized number of permanent warrant officers at once, but to spread them over a long period to prevent the formation of a "hump," filling up the total with temporary warrants.

It is the desire of the Department to create a fine corps of warrant officers, with high morale and high efficiency. A special insignia may be devised for the Corps and some rank insignia will be created for the new grade of Chief Warrant Officer. Studies also are proceeding to make the necessary changes in the various tables of organization so as to provide suitable positions for the new warrant officers.

The conference report, as approved by both Houses, recommended the adoption of the House version of the bill, with conference amendments designed to permit masters and chief engineers of the Army Mine Planter Service to be appointed chief warrant officer, even if with less than 10 years' service, and to modify other appointment requirements.

The bill to create grade of chief warrant officer and to increase the number of warrant officers was first passed by the Senate as S. 162. The House retained only the number and title of this bill, substituting text of a measure reported by its own Military Affairs Committee. It was therefore necessary to adjust differences between the two versions of S. 162.

The conferees removed a prohibition in the House bill against appointment of former Army field clerks, Quartermaster field clerks or Quartermaster clerks as chief warrant officers.

Text of the bill as passed follows:

Be it enacted, etc., That hereafter there shall be two grades of warrant officers in the Army of the United States: first, chief warrant officer, who shall receive the same base pay as authorized by existing law for warrant officer, chief engineer, Army Mine Planter Service; and second, warrant officer (junior grade), who shall receive the same base pay and allowances as are authorized by existing law for warrant officers of the Army other than those of the Army Mine Planter Service; Provided, That warrant officers of the Army Mine Planter Service in the grade of master shall receive the same base pay as authorized by existing law. Chief warrant officers shall receive the same money allowances for subsistence and rental of quarters as are authorized by existing laws for officers receiving the pay of the second pay period, and all warrant officers shall receive, as a permanent addition to their pay, an increase of 5 per centum of their base pay for each four years of active service now counted for pay purposes, not to exceed 25 per centum.

All warrant officers of the Army shall receive an increase of 50 per centum of their pay when by orders of competent authority they are required to participate regularly and frequently in aerial flights, and when in consequence of such orders they do participate in regular and frequent aerial flights as defined by such Executive orders as have heretofore been, or may hereafter be, promulgated by the President.

Sec. 2. Hereafter, original permanent appointments in the grade of warrant officer (junior grade) shall be made only from among those persons who have served at least one year on active duty in the Army of the United States, and original permanent appointments in the grade of chief warrant officer shall be made only from among those warrant officers who have completed at least a total of ten years' active service either as warrant officer (junior grade) or as warrant officers under existing law, or both, and from among masters and chief engineers, Army Mine Planter Service, hereafter appointed as such under the provisions of existing law. All such permanent appointments shall be made in the Regular Army and may be terminated under such regulations as the Secretary

of War shall prescribe, and the action of the Secretary of War in terminating the appointment of a warrant officer shall be final and conclusive. The total number of permanent appointments in the grades of chief warrant officer and warrant officer (junior grade) shall be as prescribed by the President from time to time, but shall not exceed 1 per centum of the enlisted strength of the Regular Army as authorized by law: Provided, That not more than 40 per centum of the total actual number of permanent warrant officers in active service shall be appointed in the grade of chief warrant officer.

Sec. 3. In time of war or during the period of any national emergency declared by Congress or proclaimed by the President, the Secretary of War is authorized, under such regulations as he shall prescribe, to make temporary appointments in the grades of chief warrant officer and warrant officer (junior grade). Such temporary appointments shall be in the Army of the United States, shall not exceed a number equal to one-half of 1 per centum of the enlisted strength of the Army of the United States in active military service, and shall remain in effect at the pleasure of the Secretary of War, but in no case shall they continue beyond six months after the termination of the war or period of national emergency. Persons appointed in the Army of the United States as temporary chief warrant officers or as temporary warrant officers (junior grade), while in active Federal service, shall, while so serving, be entitled to the rank, pay, and allowances of the grades to which they are temporarily appointed, and shall be entitled to count such service as warrant or enlisted service for all purposes: Provided, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized to designate by name a number of permanent or temporary chief warrant officers (not exceeding 1 per centum of the maximum authorized number of permanent and temporary warrant officers) to receive the base pay and allowances provided by existing law for officers in the fourth pay period, and to designate by name an additional number of permanent or temporary chief warrant officers (not exceeding 2 per centum of the maximum authorized number of temporary and permanent warrant officers) to receive the base pay and allowances provided by existing law for officers in the third pay period, but no chief warrant officer so designated shall receive such base pay and allowances except during the period prescribed by the Secretary of War. Such temporary appointees shall be entitled to the benefits of all existing laws and regulations governing retirement, pensions, and disability as are applicable to members of the Army of the United States when called or ordered into the active military service by the Federal Government under existing statutory authorizations. All persons temporarily appointed as chief warrant officers or as warrant officers (junior grade) in the Army of the United States under the authority of this section, shall, as long as they continue to hold such appointments, be available for assignment to active duty with any unit of the Army of the United States. Persons temporarily appointed as chief warrant officers or as warrant officers (junior grade), in the Army of the United States under the authority of this section who, at the time of their respective temporary appointments have a military status in the Army of the United States or any component thereof may accept such temporary appointments without prejudice to the military status which they so held and upon termination of such temporary appointments such persons may revert to the grades which they held at the time of their temporary appointments.

Sec. 4. Warrant officers may be assigned to such duties as may be prescribed by the Secretary of War: Provided, That when such duties necessarily include those normally performed by commissioned officers they shall be vested with the power to perform such duties under regulations to be prescribed by the President: Provided further, That when a warrant officer is serving as assistant adjutant of any command, he shall have power to administer oaths for all purposes of military administration. Warrant officers appointed under existing laws, other than masters and chief engineers of the Army Mine Planter Service, shall be deemed to be warrant officers (junior grade), and masters and chief engineers of the Army Mine Planter Service shall become chief warrant officers, on the date this Act shall become effective. All warrant officers shall take rank next below second lieutenants and among themselves under regulations prescribed by the Secretary of War.

Sec. 5. Warrant officers shall be entitled to retirement under the same conditions as commissioned officers: Provided, That hereafter warrant officers may, in the discretion of the Secretary of War, be retired after fifteen years of active service: Provided further, That a warrant officer retired after fifteen years of active service shall receive retired pay at the rate of 2½ per centum of his active pay multiplied by the number of complete years of active service in the Army, but not to exceed a total of 75 per centum of his active pay.

Sec. 6. Subject to the provisions of this Act, the Secretary of War is hereby authorized to

prescribe such rules and regulations as he may deem necessary to govern and administer properly the personnel in the grades of chief warrant officer and warrant officer (junior grade), including warrant officers of the Army Mine Planter Service. This Act shall become effective on the date specified in regulations issued by the Secretary of War, but not later than 1 October 1941.

Sec. 7. The provisions of any laws heretofore enacted which are in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, except that appointments, temporary appointments, and promotions in the Army Mine Planter Service shall continue to be made as now provided for: Provided, That no rights or benefits to which warrant officers now in active service are entitled under existing laws shall be affected in any manner by reason of the enactment of this Act: Provided further, That the provisions of this Act shall not be retroactive and no back pay or allowances shall accrue by reason of the enactment of this Act.

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Financial Digest

To business, the eight point declaration made this week by the President and Winston Churchill, is important in its exposition of Anglo-American economic aims, after "the final destruction of the Nazi tyranny." They include the enjoyment by all states, victor or vanquished, of access, on equal terms, to the trade and the raw materials of the world, fullest collaboration between all nations for improved labor standards, economic advance and social security, and disarmament of aggressor nations. The principles thus agreed upon would destroy the system of protection, which democrats as well as republicans, have always advocated for the United States, though they are in accord with the policies Secretary Hull has prosecuted. If generally accepted, they would cause universal wage readjustments, and provide for social security, probably along the lines now in effect in this country. It is obviously the purpose of the United States and Great Britain to remain prepared, since the disarmament proposed will be directed against nations which threaten or may threaten aggression outside their frontiers. While undoubtedly, there would have to be a return in the United States to pre-war economy, which would require the transformation of plants back to peaceful manufacture, it is apparent that it is planned to retain a proportion of the defense industry being established.

In preparation for the conditions which will arise when peace shall come, the Board, headed by Vice President Wallace, has begun its labors. This Board also is planning, however, the methods to pursue to compel aggressor nations to relinquish their policies. Already, the United States, Great Britain and the Dutch East Indies have instituted economic war against Japan. This war will be intensified should Japan continue her efforts to expand. Entering into the consideration of the Board are the policies of the Vichy Government, Spain, Turkey and Thailand, and the nations of Pan-America. The economy of the Governments inclined toward the Triple Alliance will be curbed in every proper way, while that of the Latin-American Republics will be promoted by loans, concessions, etc.

The difficulties in the way of adjustment of economic action to world wide conditions is illustrated in the case of Cuba. Recently, Price Administrator Henderson froze raw sugar prices at a maximum of 3.5 cents per pound. There was immediate repercussion upon the economy of the Antillean Island. The result is that the Havana Government is about to present an "explanatory" memorandum setting forth the effects upon the economy of its people should this maximum price be maintained. What is true of sugar will be true of other products of South America, which will be affected by our price fixing.

Congress is showing that it proposes to move slowly in the matter of legalizing price fixing. The House Banking Committee, which has been considering this subject, has adjourned hearings until 15 Sept., when the House will reassemble after a month's recess. It decided upon this adjournment, in spite of the danger of inflation, and Mr. Henderson's claim that as a great trade war is in prospect when the fighting shall cease, the Executive must have power with respect to prices in order to negotiate for the protection of American economy. Another reason for the Banking Committee's recess is the growing plight of small businesses, many of which are said to be closing because of doubt as to prices, and lack of essential materials. This lack is attributed to the unsatisfactory manner in which priorities are being granted by the OPM. In this connection, attention is called to the matter of silk. Last February, the Senate Committee on Military Affairs pointed out the military value of silk, and several months later, a law was enacted appropriating \$100 millions for the acquisition of stocks of strategic and critical materials. The Army and Navy Munitions Board in June made a report specifically describing silk as a

strategic material. The House Military Affairs Committee reported we had a plentiful supply of silk. Then came the President's orders which banned trade with Japan, the Government found it necessary to commandeer our domestic supply of silk, and silk factories were forced to close down.

Among other industries affected by Government orders was gasoline, the stations in the East selling which were requested to close at 7 P. M. Then, last Saturday, steel was placed under 100 per cent priority, which means that civilian steel consumers will be on a hand to mouth basis. The steel order was based upon an OPM estimate for a 15,000,000 ton steel capacity program. Lack of scrap caused the Department of Justice to investigate whether or not there is in force any agreement in violation of the anti-trust laws.

Another matter disturbing to business was the President's order authorizing the curbing of installment buying. This measure was taken to control inflationary trends, but admittedly the effect will be to lessen the demand for such articles as automobiles, refrigerators, and other durable goods, which play an important part in the maintenance of our standard of living.

Status of Promotion

ARMY PROMOTION STATUS

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (cumulative) since 7 August 1941

Last promotion to the grade of Colonel—Matthew J. Gunner, Infantry, No. 19.

Vacancies—None.

Senior Lt. Col.—Julian F. Barnes, FA, No. 20.

Last promotion to the grade of Lieutenant Colonel—Edward A. Kimball, Inf., No. 42.

Last promotion to the grade of Major—Charles S. Stodter, SC, No. 361.

Last promotion to the grade of Captain—Oral G. Willis, Inf., No. 263.

Last promotion to the grade of First Lieutenant—Donald H. Kauffman, AC, No. 388.

Non-Promotion List

Chaplain (First Lieutenant) Emil W. Geitner, United States Army (Temporary Captain, Army of the United States), promoted to Captain, United States Army.

Warrant Officers

251 on the eligible list to be Warrant Officers. Appointments have been made through Thomas H. Finkle.

7 on the eligible list to be Band Leaders (White). Appointments have been made through John J. Kahler.

0 on the eligible list to be Band Leaders (Colored). Appointments have been made through Jesse J. Stanbrough.

1 Warrant Officer has been discharged for the purpose of accepting active duty as Reserve Corps Officer.

Scholarship for Army Girl

There will be one vacancy this year in the scholarships which the Ogontz School of Rydal, Pennsylvania, offers to daughters of U. S. Military Academy graduates. At the wish of the Principal and the Trustees of the School, the award of this scholarship will be made on the recommendation of the Superintendent of the U. S. Military Academy and he will receive applications from those who desire to be considered for the vacancy. Applications must be in the hands of the Superintendent not later than 31 Aug. 1941.

Eligibility is limited to the daughters of any graduates of the Military Academy who are in the Regular Army, on either the active or the retired list, or of any deceased graduates who died while in the Regular Army, on either the active or retired list.

The course to be pursued is that of the Junior College. It corresponds to the first two years in college and graduation from secondary school is, therefore, prerequisite. The scholarship is awarded for one year at a time, but, if reports from the School are satisfactory, it may be renewed for the second and concluding year.

The vacancy this year is for a partial scholarship which is equivalent to about half the necessary expenses, approximately \$900.00. The course at the Ogontz School opens 1 Oct. 1941. The Superintendent's recommendation for filling the vacancy must be made early in September. Applications should be submitted not

later than 31 August 1941. All inquiries and applications should be addressed to the Adjutant General, U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y. Applications should state whether applicant is financially able to accept the partial scholarship, if selected therefor. Each application should be accompanied by a photograph, by a letter from the pastor of the family's church, or from the chaplain of its post, by another from the principal of the high school or preparatory school attended and by any other letters which the candidate may wish to present in evidence of her attainments and personal qualities. There should also be furnished an attested formal statement of her school record, which should be complete for the four years in high school or preparatory school.

Defense Appropriations

No war reserves, said the Senate emphatically this week, passing without an opposing vote the revised First Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Bill exactly as reported by its Appropriations Committee.

The Senate cut from the bill, H. R. 5412, \$1,347,000,000 in Army ordinance appropriations which was designed to provide material over and above that necessary for an Army of 3,000,000 men. The Senate retained the appropriation of \$35,000,000 for a War Department building in Arlington, Va., which will house 40,000 employees.

Included in the \$3,828,323,948 of appropriations was some \$250,000,000 in Navy public works. Authorization for these works was contained in H. R. 5312 which passed the House on 23 July, but was not passed by the Senate until 14 Aug.—the same day the general appropriation act was passed. Differences in the bills must now be ironed out between the Houses.

The bill carries the following appropriations:

For War Department military activities, \$3,505,957,633, representing addition of \$90,897,400 to the House bill for facilities for four new camps, additional facilities for barrage balloon training center, etc., and elimination of \$1,347,053,550 in ordinance items.

For the Navy Department, \$1,576,335,785, representing a decrease of \$10,000,000 in the additional money asked for the naval supply account fund, and increases for the plant protection force, three additional public works projects and airplane radios.

For the Maritime Commission, \$698,650,000, and a contract authorization of one billion dollars.

For the Civil Aeronautics Administration, \$12,780,000, principally for air navigation facilities in Alaska.

The Senate also proposed amendment of the regular 1942 Navy Act to provide a civilian instead of a Navy officer as associate director of Budget and Reports. The Secretary of the Navy originally had proposed a civilian for this post, but Congress became angry when it was revealed that a person was already in mind who wanted a salary which it considered excessive. A line officer was substituted. The new measure provides the civilian, who must, however, be appointed under civil service laws.

Enter USNA

Recent graduates of the Brooklyn Academy who have become midshipmen at the U. S. Naval Academy are:

Edward Wilbur Conklin, 88-24 166 Street, Jamaica; Frank Fenton Clifford, Jr., 104-28 Roosevelt Avenue, Corona; William McNair Henry, 82-27 164 Street, Jamaica; Luke D. J. Lynch, 680 81 Street, Brooklyn; Cornelius Fevris Moul, 20 Highland Terrace, Gloversville, N. Y.; Willard Fredrich Petrat, 155-19 115 Road, Jamaica; John Andrew Swank, 318 West 52 Street, Manhattan.

Four of these men—Conklin, Clifford, Henry and Petrat were members of the Naval Reserve, Conklin being the holder of the Admiral Lackey Scholarship for Annapolis preparation at Brooklyn Academy.

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Merchant Marine

The first two of three conferences to be held between government officials, ship operators and representatives of seagoing personnel to determine proper, national, uniform bases for payment of war bonuses were held in Washington this week.

At the same time the Navy Department announced that merchant marine cadets appointed by the Maritime Commission and serving on vessels taken over by the Navy will be appointed midshipmen in the Merchant Marine Naval Reserve if they volunteer for such appointment.

When the Navy took over the merchant vessels training of the cadets assigned to those vessels was interrupted, because there was at that time no provision for the Navy to continue the schooling. Appointment of the cadets as midshipmen will permit continuation of the cadet training program.

Midshipmen in the Merchant Marine Reserve will receive the same pay and allowances as midshipmen of the Regular Navy while on active duty. This pay is \$780 a year, plus a ration allowance of 75 cents a day.

The Navy announced that every opportunity will be utilized to give the midshipmen experience in standing watch as junior officers in both the deck and engineer departments of their vessels. Midshipmen will be eligible for appointment as ensign, class D-M or class E-M, Naval Reserve, when they obtain unlimited ocean licenses as third mates or third assistant engineers and are recommended for commissions by their commanding officers.

The first bonus conference opened 12 Aug. with representatives of the Maritime Commission, the Department of Labor, ship operators and licensed and registered officers' organizations.

Opening the conference, Maritime Commissioner Edward Macauley declared, "It is desired that this conference be confined strictly to the purpose for which it has been called—to achieve a nationwide agreement on war risk compensation. It is considered that other subjects, such as wages, hours and working conditions, are extraneous and not pertinent to the discussion."

"It is not contemplated," he continued, "that a single rate for all of the various services, regardless of the destination of the vessels, should be put into effect, but rather that in each danger area the rates should be uniform regardless of the port of original departure."

Commissioner Macauley urged that the agreement arrived at should remain in force, unless war is declared by or against the United States, combat zones are changed, or peace comes to the world. In the first two events, the rate of war bonuses would have to be re-examined.

On 15 Aug. a second similar conference was held for radio operators, and on 19 Aug. bonuses for unlicensed personnel will be taken up.

Another point of interest to maritime personnel in connection with serving with the Navy is the decision of that service to divide enlisted men of the Merchant Marine Reserve into two classes—M-1, for men procured for service in seagoing vessels, and M-2, for enlisted men with salvage or seagoing experience procured for service in the local defense forces for salvage work.

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Enlisted Pilot Training

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General's Office.

e. Reports of examining board.—The examining board will, within five days after completion of the examination, forward direct to the Chief of the Air Corps a separate report in duplicate for each applicant who appears before the board together with the application and accompanying papers of each applicant. The report will contain—

(1) If the applicant is physically, morally, and educationally qualified:

(a) A statement as to the applicant's moral character and general fitness.

(b) Copies of all documentary evidence presented to the board.

(c) A report of physical examination on W. D., A.G.O. Form No. 64, in duplicate.

(d) Rating in General Classification Test, War Department, The Adjutant General's Office.

(2) If the applicant is physically disqualified, report of physical examination on W. D., A.G.O. Form No. 64.

(3) If the applicant is morally disqualified:

(a) A statement as to the applicant's moral character and general fitness.

(b) Report of physical examination on W. D., A.G.O. Form No. 64.

4. Appointment.—a. Precedence.—In case there are more qualified candidates than vacancies, appointments will be made from eligibles in accordance with a precedence established by the Chief of the Air Corps.

b. Method of detail.—As a result of the examinations as prescribed above, the Chief of the Air Corps will transmit information as to the names, Army serial numbers, grades, organizations, and stations of those found qualified to The Adjutant General with appropriate recommendations and such data as may be necessary for the preparation of orders providing for their transfer to a civil flying school for their flying training. The Adjutant General will issue the necessary orders directing the change of station and authorizing aviation student training. If the enlisted man belongs to an arm or service other than the Air Corps, the aviation student will be detailed to flying training in the grade which he holds at that time. He will be carried on detached service by his organization until he is either eliminated from aviation student training and returned to his organization or completes his aviation student training. If the enlisted man is detailed to aviation student training from the Air Corps, he will be carried on detached service by his organization until eliminated and returned to duty therein or until he has completed his aviation student training.

c. Discharge and reenlistment.—No enlisted man will be ordered to a flying school as an aviation student unless he shall have at least one year to serve in his current enlistment. If the unexpired portion of the current enlistment of the enlisted man is not sufficient to permit his detail under the foregoing provision, he will be discharged and reenlisted for three years in order to permit his detail. Such discharge and reenlistment, if necessary, will be effected at the enlisted man's station prior to his being sent to the flying school.

d. No prospective or actual aviation student will be reduced in grade because of his detail to aviation student training.

5. Training.—The scope of the training will be as prescribed in the approved program of instruction for the flying schools.

a. Action upon conclusion of training.—a. About 2 months before completion of advanced flying training, the faculty board at the Air Corps advanced flying schools will consider the physical, moral, and professional qualifications of each aviation student due to complete his training and will render a report in duplicate containing the following:

(1) Full names and grades of aviation students (all names spelled out).

(2) Serial numbers of all aviation students.

(3) Estimated date of graduation.

(4) Statement as to whether the candidate is physically, morally, and professionally qualified for appointment to the grade of staff sergeant pilot, Air Corps, Regular Army. In case recommendation is in the negative, detailed reasons therefor will be given.

b. This report will be forwarded to the Chief of the Air Corps through the commanding general of the Air Corps training center concerned. The commanding general of the training center concerned will issue the necessary warrants effective as of date of graduation and forward same to the advanced flying school concerned. The report mentioned above will be forwarded in time to reach the Chief of the Air Corps at least 3 weeks prior to the date of graduation. Immediately upon completion of training at each elementary, basic, and advanced flying school, the commandants of such schools will submit a report on all enlisted pilots graduated to the Chief of the Air Corps. These reports will contain the number of hours devoted to and grades attained in each academic subject, flying time, and flying grades attained.

c. Upon graduation from the advanced flying school an aviation student shall be discharged for the convenience of the Government and enlisted in the Air Corps for a period of 3 years. He shall receive the rating of pilot and a warrant as staff sergeant pilot,

Air Corps, without regard to the grade in which he received his training.

d. Noncommissioned officer pilots, Air Corps, will take precedence among themselves in accordance with the provisions of Army Regulations governing rank among noncommissioned officers.

7. Termination of status as aviation student.—a. If at any time the faculty board at an Air Corps elementary, basic, or advanced flying school decides that an aviation student is, for any reason, not qualified to continue his training or that he possesses traits that would render him undesirable as a noncommissioned officer in the Air Corps, the commandant thereof will forward board proceedings to the commanding general of the Air Corps training center concerned.

b. In case of approval of the faculty board proceedings referred to in a above by the commanding general of the Air Corps training center, he will make request to the Chief of the Air Corps for orders relieving the aviation student concerned from pilot training and his orders transferring him from the flying school concerned. The Chief of the Air Corps will, in turn, make suitable recommendation to The Adjutant General for orders returning eliminated aviation students to the organization from which they were placed on detached service.

8. Allowances.—a. Clothing.—Aviation students will be issued clothing allowances as now laid down in law and regulation for enlisted men of the grade held.

b. Other.—Allowances in rations, quarters, clothing, etc., for staff sergeant pilots, technical sergeant pilots, and master sergeant pilots will be the same as those authorized for staff sergeants, technical sergeants, and master sergeants.

9. Promotion of enlisted pilots.—Enlisted pilots will be promoted in accordance with eligibility requirements prescribed by the Chief of the Air Corps. Grades for enlisted pilots are staff sergeant pilot, technical sergeant pilot, and master sergeant pilot. Master sergeant pilots may, under such regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe, be appointed warrant officer pilots.

10. Form for application.

Subject: Application for aviation student training.

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